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BECKER MAY SOON TELL EVERYTHING

District Attorney Thinks He Will Make Important Disclosures

MURDERERS ARE IDENTIFIED

Man Who Witnessed Murder Appears Before Grand Jury—Jack Sullivan on Scene—Rose's Confession Corroborated

New York, August 9.—Although Police Lieutenant Charles Becker declared today that he had nothing to confess in connection with the Rosenthal murder, of which he is the accused instigator, District Attorney Whitman learned that the police lieutenant was ready to make some disclosures under certain conditions. The conditions imposed, however, are more than the district attorney is willing or able to grant and he is waiting for Becker to make other overtures.

Strong influences are being exerted, the prosecutor learned to keep Becker from making any disclosures strengthening the evidence regarding alleged gambling graft on the part of the other high police officials, whose indictment Mr. Whitman seeks, but the district attorney expressed tonight a strong conviction that Becker eventually would break down.

Becker's emphatic statement today was, "I am not going to confess, for I have nothing to confess." The district attorney, however, says he is steadily piling up evidence against the police lieutenant, which he thinks will alter this attitude. Mr. Whitman also learned today that Jack Sullivan, who has been involved in the murder plot by several witnesses, was ready to make a confession that would corroborate the stories told by "Bald" Jack Rose, "Bridgie" Webber and Harry Vallon, who have obtained a promise of leniency for turning State's evidence. It became known also today that Giovanni Stanich, one of the 16 witnesses who appeared before the grand jury yesterday, as an eye witness to the murder, had identified the four men accused of the actual shooting of Rosenthal, and had also identified Jack Sullivan as having been on the scene and having left with the murderers in the gray automobile. In addition to this the district attorney has learned from Richard G. Barter, a notary public, that on the day after the murder Becker took his attorney, John H. Hart in a taxicab to the house where Jack Rose, then wanted by the police for the murder, was in concealment. This was the house of Harry Pollok, who with his wife, was one of the witnesses before the grand jury.

Barter told the district attorney, it was learned, that Becker and Hart had come to his place of employment in the taxicab on the night of July 17th, the day after the murder, and had taken him around to Pollok's house. Hart took him inside, he said, leaving Becker, who then drove away in the taxicab. Barter said he was then asked to witness an affidavit made by Rose that the $1,500 loan which Rose has said was made through him by Becker to Herman Rosenthal, was in fact made by Harry Pollok. This is the affidavit Rose claims Becker forced him to make as the price of protecting him from arrest and was to clear Becker of the charge made by Rosenthal, before he was shot, that the police lieutenant was a partner in Rosenthal's gambling house. Barter said Pollok was not present during the conversation between Hart and Rose as to the affidavit, and it was learned that Pollok testified before the grand jury that he never made the loan named in the affidavit which was produced for the grand jury's inspection.

The notary public related further that during the conversation he remarked "that was a terrible murder wasn't it?"

"That was as far as I got on that line of conversation," Barter told the district attorney. "I heard Rose ask Hart if he had better go to the district attorney's office, but I did not hear the lawyer's answer. They left me over in one corner of the room during most of their conversation."

Stanish, who is an Austrian of good birth and education, testified before the grand jury, it was learned, that he stood within a few feet of Rosenthal when he fell under the fusilade of bullets. He saw Jack Sullivan, he said, lean over Rosenthal's body and say, "he's dead all right" and then drive away in the automobile.

Stanish, it was learned, was in the court room when Jack Sullivan was arraigned two days after the murder and positively identified him.

The fact of the identification was not made known at that time, however, owing to the desire of the district attorney to keep the Austrian away from police influence before he testified before the grand jury. His identification of "Gyp, The Blood," "Lefty" Louie, "Whitey" Lewis and "Dago" Frank Cirofici were made in the presence of the jury by means of photographs and without hestitation.

Mr. Whitman's expectation that Jack Sullivan will confess is based upon information received from Jack Rose and "Bridgie" Webber today after they had talked with Sullivan in the Westside prison to which he was removed yesterday at Rose's suggestion, it is understood.

Sullivan had "weakened," is the message the district attorney received. Mr. Whitman left tonight for Manchester, Vt., to be gone until Monday and expects to obtain Sullivan's statement upon his return for presentation to the grand jury on Tuesday. On that day Mr. Whitman will ask for several indictments, including, it is understood, the re-indictment of Becker.

Through tips furnished by Rose and Webber the district attorney obtained today what seemed a likely clue as to the whereabouts of Sam Schepps, who is wanted in connection with the murder and sent two detectives out of town on the trail. "Gyp, The Blood," and "Lefty" Louie" are still missing. All three could be found, Mr. Whitman declared tonight, if certain members of the police department were willing to find them.

TWO [illegible] DISABLED

The Nebraska Runs on an [illegible]arted Shoal and is Limping Into Boston—The Connecticut Breaks Crankshaft.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 9.—The battleship Nebraska is limping into Boston tonight badly disabled as a result of running into an uncharted shoals four miles west by south of Point Judith light yesterday. The nature of her injury is not definitely known, as the usual reticence of naval officials, until their formal report is made, is maintained tonight.

The Connecticut, also the victim of an accident, came into harbor tonight under her port engines. The accidents will keep both ships out of further drills for some time, although it was said that the Nebraska remained in the maneuvers for a short time following her injury. It was decided to send her to Boston for repairs.

Before she left the shoal where she grounded a diver was sent overboard and reported that the Nebraska had struck among a group of boulders covering an acre of sea bottom, with only 20 feet of water over them. The discovery of such a shoal caused great surprise in both shipping and naval circles. The Nebraska was in command of Capt. Spencer S. Wood.

Officers on board the flagship Connecticut were reluctant to talk tonight on the accident to the Nebraska. They said the Nebraska left the fleet this morning and is proceeding under reduced speed toward Boston. When the Connecticut, with Rear Admiral Hugo Osterhaus, the fleet commander, on board, came into this harbor, it was said that her starboard crankshaft was broken and she would have to go either to New York or Philadelphia for repairs, which would take several weeks. The break occurred yesterday morning when the Connecticut was going through maneuvers at a 15-knot speed, but it was not discovered until after the ship came to anchor. Then one of the machinists detected the break.

A board of inquiry will examine next week into the causes of both mishaps.

BOUNTIFUL HARVESTS.

Agricultural Department Estimates Banner Yields This Year.

Washington, Aug. 9.—This year's crop in the United States will be far in excess of last year's yield, it was estimated today by the Department of Agriculture. It will be better than the average crop for the past 10 years and in the case of a number of products will make a new record, if present estimates are not overthrown by conditions at present unforseen.

The country's corn crop, estimated at 2,811,000,000 bushels, will be the largest in the Nation's history, with the exception of the years 1906 and 1910, the former being the banner year with 2,927,000,000 bushels. As for the wheat crop, estimated at 680,000,000 bushels, that will rank fifth in size during the past 20 years.

The oats crop will be the largest the country has gathered, surpassing by 21,000,000 bushels that of 1910, the previous record. In barley, too, this year will establish a new record, the estimated yield of 202,000,000 bushels being 24,000,000 bushels greater than that of 1906, the previous best year. The yield of rye, 35,000,000 bushels, will equal that of 1910, the former record year.

Of potatoes, which will amount this year to 371,000,000 bushels, only 1909 with its 389,000,000 bushels produced a larger yield.

The Department of Agriculture's August crop report contains details for important crops in Virginia and North Carolina as follows:

Winter wheat, Virginia, yield, 11.6; production 8,596; quality, 88. North Carolina, yield, 8.9; production, 5,322; quality, 89.

Corn condition for North Carolina in 1912, 86; 1911, 78; ten year average 86. In Virginia, 1912, 85; 1911, 70; ten year average 86. In South Carolina, 1912, 79; 1911, 80; ten year average, 84.

M. & O. TRAIN DITCHED.

Thirty-Five Persons Injured, Some of Them Seriously.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 9.—Thirty-five persons were injured, some of them seriously, when Mobile and Ohio train No. 2, from Mobile to St. Louis, was ditched near here this evening. Relief trains were sent from here. The train was composed of steel cars which were making their first trip, and the trainmen said the steel coaches prevented loss of life. The train was running more than an hour late and was trying to make up lost time.

CANAL BILL WITH FREE TOLL PASSES

Prohibits All Railroad Owned Vessels from Using the Waterway

GREAT FIGHT IN THE SENATE

Opponents of Free Toll Provision Continue Battle Until the Last Minute—Some Important Amendments Adopted.

Washington, Aug. 9.—The Panama canal administration bill, providing for passage to American ships, prohibiting railroad owned vessels from using the waterway and authorizing the establishment of a one-man government when the canal is completed, was passed by the Senate tonight by a vote of 47 to 15. The provision for free tolls, which was fought out in the Senate Wednesday, was endorsed again just before the passage of the measure.

Attached to the bill as it passed the Senate were two important amendments directed at trust or railroad control of steamship lines. The first, by Senator Reed, would prohibit ships owned by an illegal industrial combination from using the canal; and the second, by Senator Bourne, would force railroads to give up water lines that might otherwise be their competitors, if it were proved that they were stifling competition.

Opponents of the free toll provision for American ships, against which Great Britain made formal protest, carried their fight up to the last of the bill's consideration. Just before its passage, Senator Root moved to strike out the section giving free tolls to American coastwise vessels; and Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, moved to strike out the provision for free tolls to American ships in the foreign trade. Both of these motions were defeated by overwhelming votes.

As the bill passed, it would permit American coastwise vessels to pass through the canal free, without conditions; while American foreign trade ships might pass through free if their owners agreed to sell the vessels to the United States at a fair price in time of war or emergency.

The great fight of the day centered about the provisions to prohibit railroad owned ships from using the canal. The broad terms of the original House bill, which would have required every railroad in the country to dispose at once of any steamship lines with which it might otherwise compete, were not accepted by the Senate. This was modified so that railroads would be prohibited only from owning steamship lines that may operate through the Panama canal.

The Bourne amendment, however, adopted later by a vote of 36 to 25, restored much of the vigor of the anti-railroad provisions of the House bill. It provided that if the Inter-State Commerce Commission should find that any railroad had an interest in a competitive line of steamers, and that such interest was injurious to the welfare of the public, the commission might compel the railroad to dispose of its steamer connections.

Senator Brandagee, chairman of the Inter-Oceanic Canal Committee of the Senate, made an ineffective fight on the rigid provisions against the railroad ships. After the amendments had been adopted to the House bill he moved that the whole paragraph relating to railroad control be stricken out. This motion was defeated 45 to 18. A subsequent proposal by Mr. Brandagee, to permit any ships to use the canal, giving to the Inter-State Commerce Commission power of control over them, also was defeated.

The Reed amendment against trust-owned ships, was called up for a second vote before the bill passed, and was adopted on final passage by a vote of 36 to 23.

The completed canal bill finally was passed with Senators Burton, Crane, Gallinger, Lodge, Root and other opponents of the free toll and anti-railroad features of it, voting against it.

In the form in which it returns to the House, the bill adds to the general scheme for operating and governing the Panama canal, provisions for the admission to American registry of any foreign built ships owned by Americans, provided they are operated wholly in the foreign trade.

TO YELL FOR ATHLETICS

School Children of New York Will Cheer Olympic Stars

New York, August 9.—Plans for the reception of the American Olympic team to be held here August 24th are rapidly nearing completion. The committee having the matter in charge decided today to extend invitations to the Swedish Ambassador at Washington and Swedish Consul General to join the reviewing party.

A unique feature of the reception will be the greeting the athletes will receive from the boys and girls of New York. The youngsters will form the stationary "guard of honor," edging the sidewalks along Broadway from City Hall to Forty-second street, and give the Olympic team's yell, which will be taken up block by block.

Fireworks Monday,

August 12th, at the Beach, 9:00 P. M. **

NEW SENSATION IN DETROIT

Arrest of Sixteen Aldermen Yesterday. Charges Go Far Back Into Councilmanic Affairs of City. Hearing Monday.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 9.—The arrests today of 16 aldermen and the announcement that the prosecutor will request 18 warrants Monday charging the 16 arrests today and two additional aldermen with conspiracy to defraud the city, by bribery and other means, added a new sensation to those that have accompanied recent investigations into alleged graft in councilmanic circles.

Seven of the nine aldermen now under bonds to appear for hearing on charges of bribery in the Wabash railroad street closing case were among the 16 arrested today. All of the officials arrested have been released from custody on bail. It is understood that the new warrants will in no way conflict with the charges preferred in the Wabash case, but that they will go into the official business transactions of the aldermen for several years back. The new arrests are said to be the result of the personal investigation of Prosecutor Hugh Shepperd, who was seriously ill when the first aldermanic arrests were made upon evidence secured by Detective William J. Burns.

One of the two officials for whom warrants will be asked in connection with today's developments, is out of the city. The other appeared personally before the prosecutor with bondsmen and he was released without the formality of being registered at police headquarters.

MRS. GRACE HOME.

Returns to Philadelphia to be With Blind Son.

Philadelphia, Aug. 9.—Mrs. Daisy Ulrich Opie Grace, who was acquitted a few days ago in Atlanta, of a charge of having shot her husband, Eugene Grace, arrived here from Savannah today on the steamship Frederick and joined her sightless nine-year-old son, Webster Opie, at the home of her mother in West Philadelphia. Jumping out of a taxicab and dashing upon the porch of the house where the boy had been patiently awaiting his mother, Mrs. Grace picked him up in her arms and wept as she kissed him. "Oh, mother, mother," exclaimed the boy as he hugged his mother, whose long absence he was told had been due to illness.

To interviewers Mrs. Grace had nothing to say about her trial.

"I have nothing further to do with the public, and no statement to make," she declared. "I only want the public to forget me and allow me to forget the terrible events of the past. I am going to devote the rest of my life to my boy."

Mrs. Grace said she had nothing to say regarding her future relations with her husband.

FOR HOLDING COTTON.

Plan for 1912-1913 Crop is in Incubation in Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 9.—Plans for handling the 1912-13 cotton crop and movement looking to the organization of the National Warehouse and Elevator Co. will be discussed at a general rally of members of the Farmers' Union here August 27.—The purpose of the warehouse company is to handle the cotton and grain output of the country. Lawson E. Brown, president of the Georgia Farmers' Union, who sent out the call for the rally, said today that branches of the warehouse company had already been established.

OUTLINES

The Panama canal bill, providing for free passage to American ships, prohibiting railroad owned vessels from using the waterway and authorizing the establishment of a one-man government when the canal is completed, was passed by the Senate last night by a vote of 47 to 15.

President Taft yesterday vetoed the wool bill and returned it to the House, disapproving of it because he thought its low rates would hurt American industries.

The arrest of 16 aldermen charged with conspiracy to defraud the city, furnished the latest sensation in the Detroit graft cases yesterday.

District Attorney Whitman learned yesterday that Police Lieut. Becker was ready to make some disclosures in regard to the police graft in New York, under certain conditions and the prosecutor thinks Becker may soon break down and confess.

The battleship Nebraska was seriously damaged yesterday by running on an uncharted shoal while engaged in the navy and army maneuvers and the Connecticut had a crankshaft broken.

Mrs. Daisy Grace, who was acquitted a few days ago, of the charge of having shot her husband, arrived yesterday at Philadelphia, where she joined her sightless son.

Representative Gardner, in a speech in the House yesterday challenged Roosevelt to make his views on the trust problem plain. Representative McGillicuddy declared the former President had sold himself out to the steel trust.

New York markets: Money on call steady, 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 per cent.; ruling rate 2 3-4. Spot cotton closed quiet. Flour moderately active. Wheat, spot easy; No. 2 red, new 1.07 c.i.f. track and 1.08 1-2 f.o.b. afloat to arrive. Corn, spot easy; export 82 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Oats, spot steady. Turpentine weak. Rosin steady.

WANTS ROOSEVELT TO SPEAK PLAINLY

Gardner Challenges the Colonel's Views on Trust Problem

STEEL REPORT IS DISCUSSED

Representative McGillicuddy Declares Former President Sold Himself Out to Steel Trust, Heels, Hide and Teeth

Washington, August 9.—Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, ranking minority member of the House Steel Trust Investigating Committee, in the course of a speech tonight on the House "Steel Trust" Investigating Committee's report, challenged Colonel Roosevelt to make plain his attitude on the trust problem. Mr. Gardner caused a stir on the advanced grounds he took on the trust question, even advancing the opinion that eventually a Federal commission with powers to regulate prices might have to be named.

Mr. Gardner declared that under his "confession of faith" Colonel Roosevelt had been opposed to the dissolution of trusts, but that the Progressive party platform was capable of interpretation in favor of dissolution or in favor of recognition of big corporations.

"To settle the question," said Mr. Gardner, "I ask Colonel Roosevelt the following perfectly plain question: 'The International Harvester Company has such a predominance in its particular industry as to be indistinguishable from a monopoly. Do you recommend its dissolution or do you commend its recognition?'"

Representative McGillicuddy, of Maine, and Chairman Stanley, both of the committee, together with Representative Jackson, of Kansas, Republican, also spoke on the report. Mr. McGillicuddy declared the time had come to investigate the causes that tended to concentration of the wealth of the country. He said the capital of the United States Steel Corporation alone would equal all the wealth, real and personal estates of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont. This concentration had progressed, he declared until families aggregating one-third of the entire population of the country were forced to exist on less than $400 a year each.

The "Steel Trust," Mr. McGillicuddy asserted, was the direct creation of the protective tariff. Referring to the absorption of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company by the Steel Corporation and the alleged acquiesence of the President, Roosevelt, Mr. McGillicuddy said Mr. Roosevelt's action was "the most humiliating surrender the country had ever known" and that the former President "had sold himself out to the steel trust, heels, hide and teeth."

"If we wish to dissolve the trusts, the time has come to say so," said Mr. Gardner. "If we wish to recognize the trusts the time has come to be definite about it.

"If we really wish to break up the trusts, all we have to do is to forbid the concentration of more than a given amount of capital under a single management and then instruct our courts to dissolve existing trusts into corporations within the prescribed size."

Mr. Gardner declared he did not believe in dissolution as a remedy. He said combinations of capital had their place in the economic scheme of things, but they should be made to behave.

"What we need," said Mr. Gardner, with emphasis, "is good drastic recognition of large industrial units. We have fooled too long with general dissolution."

A return to the competitive system, Mr. Gardner insisted, would not mean lower prices. He pointed to the falling off in prices on the products of the United States Steel Corporation in the decade in which the prices of other materials and commodities soared.

As a solution of the problem, Mr. Gardner advocated the compulsory licensing of all corporations whose assets exceed $50,000,000, forcing them at the same time to re-capitalize at the exact amount of their actual holdings. He would have created the Inter-State Commission of Industry, clothed with powers to enforce the corporation laws and, if found necessary, to gain complete control of the situation with power to fix prices of commodities."

WESTERN UNION TO BUILD.

Four Million Dollar Structure to be 28 Stories High.

New York, Aug. 9.—Preliminary plans have been filed for a new twenty-eight story building for the Western Union Telegraph Company. The building is to be erected on the site of its present structure at 195 Broadway.

The plans show that there will be 21 elevators and that the cost of the building will be $4,000,000.

Washington, Aug. 9.—The cotton tariff bill framed by the Democratic House of Representatives, was today made the unfinished business of the Senate and will come up for consideration early tomorrow.

TAFT VETOES THE WOOL BILL

President Turns Down Revision Measure on Ground That Its Low Rates Would be Disastrous to Home Industries.

Washington, Aug. 9.—For the second time within a year President Taft today vetoed a bill to revise the wool tariff—Schedule K, of the Payne-Aldrich law.

With a message of disapproval he returned to Congress the bill evolved as a compromise between the House and Senate on the grounds that its low rates would bring disaster to home industries. But the President appealed to Congress not to adjourn until it had enacted a measure to "substantially reduce unnecessary existing duties" without destroying protection for the wool industry in the United States.

The President's disapproval of the wool bill is to be followed with similar vetoes of the steel bill and the cotton bill. The sugar bill is likely to be vetoed, as is the excise tax bill, the latter probably on the ground that the President believes it unconstitutional.

"I shall stand by my pledges to maintain a degree of protection necessary to offset the differences in cost of production here and abroad, and will hearttily approve of any bill reducing duties to this level," wrote Mr. Taft.

While the bill vetoed today and the one disapproved last year were identical in terms, the President's reasons differed. He vetoed the former bill because it had been framed before the Tariff Board report—the latter because he said it had been framed with disregard for the board's findings.

"Most of the rates in the submitted bill" wrote the President, "are so low in themselves that if enacted into law, the inevitable result would be irretrievable injury to the wool growing industry, the enforced idleness of much of our wool combing and spinning machinery, and of thousands of looms and the consequent throwing out of employment, thousands of workmen."

The bill sent to the White House imposed an ad valorem duty of 29 per cent. on raw wool and on cloths of 49 per cent. Both rates Mr. Taft held were insufficient to protect the wool grower and the manufacturer.

It was predicted today that the wool bill might be passed by the House over Mr. Taft's veto, but there was some doubt as to its fate in the Senate. Republican leaders were inclined to believe that it would fail of passage there as it did 12 months ago.

The President's message pointed out that he was anxious to see Schedule K revised downward and that he would be glad to see Congress remain in Washington until a bill he considered proper was sent to the White House. He found it impossible, he said, in view of the platform on which he was elected, to approve the substituted measure, but declared one agreeable to his views had been drafted by minority members of the House Ways and Means Committee.

"I strongly desire to reduce duties," read the message, "provided only the protective system be maintained and that industries now established be not destroyed. It now appears from the Tariff Board's report and from bills introduced into the House and Senate that a bill may be drawn so as to be within the requirements of protection and still offer a reduction of 20 per cent. on most wool and of from 20 per cent. to 50 per cent. on cloths.

"I cannot act on the assumption that a majority of either House will refuse to pass a bill of this kind. I therefore urge upon Congress that it not adjourn without taking advantage of the plain opportunity thus substantially to reduce unnecessary existing duties. I appeal to Congress to re-consider the measure, which I now return without my approval, and to adopt a substitute therefor, making substantial reductions below the rates of the present act, which the Tariff Board shows possible, without destroying any established industry, or throwing any wage-earners out of employment, and which I will promptly approve.

"Despite the efforts that have been made to discredit the work of the Tariff Board, their report on this schedule has been accepted with scarcely a dissenting voice, by all those familiar with the problems discussed, including active representatives of organizations formed in the interest of the public and the consumer."

The message sent to the House today was drawn after conferences between the President and Chairman Emery, of the Tariff Board. It was submitted to the cabinet yesterday at a special meeting. Reports that two members of the President's official family urged him to approve this measure were denied at the White House.

FIRE AT WASHINGTON, N. C.

Dry Kilns of Pamlico Cooperage Company Are Destroyed.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, N. C., Aug. 9.—Washington was visited by another costly and disastrous fire today when the large dry kilns and lumber shed of the Pamlico Cooperage Company were totally destroyed. How the fire originated is not known, probably by a spark falling in the dry kiln, but when discovered the fire had gained considerable headway. Although this plant is situated in the suburbs of the city, at the foot of Main street, the local fire department renderel valiant service, thereby saving the mill plant proper and several adjoining buildings. The estimated loss is $15,000, insurance not known.

"The Frailty of Man"

Young man who can't resist lure of the gaming table. At The Grand Theatre today. **

WATCHING GERMAN WIRELESS STATION

U. S. Officials Exercised Over Its Erection at Sayville, L. I.

AGAINST LODGE RESOLUTION

Important Considerations of National Policy Moves the Navy Department to Conduct a Quiet Investigation

Washington, August 9.—A powerful wireless station a Sayville, L. I., practically commanding New York harbor, and controlled by a corporation reputed to be under the influence of the German government, is being observed by the Navy Department and the Department of Commerce and Labor.

Officials here have quietly been watching its progress and trying to determine if it comes within the provisions of the Lodge resolution recently adopted by the Senate, declaring that the United States could not see without grave concern the actual or potential possession of any harbor or other place on the American continents by any government, not American, when possession would give to such a government practical power of control for naval or military purposes.

Another feature affecting the situation is contained in the radio-communication bill for the control of wireless which passed the House today. It already has passed the Senate and contains a provision to prohibit the operation of any private wireless plant within "15 miles of certain government stations."

Officials who have been concerned over the erection of the new tower which is even taller and fully as powerful as the great government plant now being erected near here at Fort Meyer, Va., have been awaiting the action of Congress on this provision.

Notice of the generally supposed foreign-owned wireless plant came to the attention of the government officially, through a prominent member of the New York Yacht Club, near whose country place at Sayville the tower has been erected. Important considerations of National policy moved the Navy Department to quietly dispatch an officer from the New York Navy Yard to Sayville to examine and report upon the structure.

The Department of Commerce and Labor, being charged with general supervision of that means of communication so far as it affects the navigation of vessels, took a hand and made a quiet investigation of its own. It was thought at first that operation of the station might be prevented upon the ground that like a cable station, it could not be established and operated without a special license from the United States government. This consideration, however, may now give way to the means provided by the radio-communication bill, which after conference upon some minor disagreements between the House and Senate will go to President Taft for his signature.

ON GRAND CIRCUIT.

Walter R. Cox Has a Field Day of It. Some Fast Time.

Pittsburg, Aug. 9.—Walter R. Cox, the New Hampshire driver on the Grand Circuit, had a field day of it today, the closing day of the Pittsburg meeting, winning every race in which he drove, which was three out of four on the card. Cox won the 2:18 trot with Arona McKinney; the 2:15 pace with Baron A.; and the 2:20 pace with Myrtle Baron, all of them in straight heats.

The free for all pacing championship the only one in which Cox had no entry, brought out the best field of the week. Evelyn W., the horse that paced 2:03 1-2 and 2:04 1-4 in Detroit July 25th; Independence Boy, showing 2:02 1-4 in the same race; and Vernon McKinney and Don Densmore, all of whom met at Cleveland August 3rd, in the open pace which Evelyn W. captured, and Sir R., who captured the 2:04 pace in Cleveland July 30th, were starters in this race, which went to Don Densmore after Vernon McKinney had taken the first heat at 2:01 1-2, the fastest time of any heat on any track this year. Densmore took the second heat at 2:02 1-4, making two of the fastest heats on any track this year, and clipped off the third heat at 2:05 3-4.

CROSS THE BOUNDARY.

Mexicans Begin Raiding on This Side Of Border

El Paso, Tex., August 9.—Mexicans crossed the international boundary into Texas today and began raiding near Sierra Blanca, according to a telegram to Sheriff Edwards here this forenoon.

The raiders crossed near Sierra Blana, Texas.

Washington, August 9.—Two hundred Mexican rebels appeared suddenly at Bisbee, Ariz., last night and immediately a detachment of American troops was despatched to keep the Mexicans out of mischief. If they have not crossed the border by the time the troops reach Bisbee, the rebels probably will be interned.

News received at the State Department today indicates that the rebel forces are disintegrating.

SPORTING EVENTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At New York, 2; St. Louis, 4.
At Boston, 7; Chicago, 9.
At Brooklyn, 1; Pittsburg, 2.
At Philadelphia-Cincinnati (rain).

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
New York	72	28	.720
Chicago	65	36	.644
Pittsburg	59	39	.602
Philadelphia	48	48	.500
Cincinnati	47	55	.461
St. Louis	46	58	.442
Brooklyn	37	66	.359
Boston	28	72	.280

New York, August 9.—St. Louis won the first game of the series with New York here today 4 to 2. Mowrey won the game for St. Louis in the eighth, when he hit a home run into the left field bleachers with Magee on base.

St. Louis .. .. ..010 000 021—4 9 1
New York .. ..100 000 001—2 8 1

Geyer and Wingo; Crandall, Wiltse and Myers. Time 1:36. Umpires Johnstone and Eason.

Boston, August 9.—Chicago batted Tyler hard, today scoring nine runs to the seven Boston tallied. Boston fielded poorly.

Chicago .. ....210 000 141—9 17 4
Boston .. ..100 300 003—7 13 5

Tyler and Kling; Leifield, Smith and Archer. Time 2:13. Umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Brooklyn, August 9.—Allen's one base on balls resulted disastrously for Brooklyn today in his pitching duel with Robinson. It came with Miller on first and two out, and was followed by Robinson's double that drove home Pittsburg's two runs. Smith doubled and was singled home by Hummel in the ninth. Brooklyn then filled the bases with one out, but Phelps and Erwin popped to the infield.

Pittsburg .. ....020 000 000—2 8 1
Brooklyn .. ....000 000 001—1 10 0

Robinson and Gibson; Allen and Phelps. Time 1:42. Umpires Klem and Orth.

American Association.

At Louisville 2; Milwaukee 5.
2nd: rain.
At Toledo 3; St. Paul 2.
2nd: Toledo 4; St. Paul 2.
At Indianapolis-Minneapolis, rain.
At Columbus-Kansas City, rain.

International League.

At Baltimore, both games, rain.
At Newark 0; Rochester 4.
At Jersey City 1; Montreal 3.
At Providence 2; Toronto 0.

Southern League.

At Atlanta 3; Mobile 2.
At Chattanooga 5; New Orleans 4.
2nd: Called end second, rain.
At Montgomery-Memphis, rain.
Only three games scheduled.

South Atlantic League.

At Columbus 5; Columbia 0.
At Macon 4; Jacksonville 3.
At Albany 2; Savannah 7.
2nd: Albany 2; Savannah 1.

Virginia League.

At Roanoke 8; Newport News 0.
At Richmond 3; Petersburg 5.
At Norfolk 1; Portsmouth 8.

Carolina Association.

At Anderson, 2; Greensboro, 1.
At Winston, 1; Spartanburg, 3.
At Charlotte, 6; Greenville, 2.

Appalachian League.

At Asheville, 0; Morristown, 7.
At Johnson City-Bristol (rain).

COINING CAMPAIGN THUNDER.

All Three Candidates Get Speeches in the Record.

Washington, Aug. 9.—The Progressive party made its formal bow today in the Senate. Senator Poindexter, as a member of the new party, asked that Col. Roosevelt's speech at Chicago, on August 6th, be printed as a public document.

The request followed one by Senator Brandegee that Senator Root's speech of notification and President Taft's speech of acceptance also be printed as a public document. Senator Culberson had asked that Senator-elect James' notification speech, and Governor Woodrow Wilson's acceptance be printed as another document. All three requests were granted.

Senator Jones, of Washington, then asked the Senate to print the platform of the three parties as a document.

"I don't want to object," interrupted Senator Gallinger, "but has Debbs been nominated yet?"

Senator Overman did object, however, and the platforms will not be printed.

WON'T READ SPEECHES.

Woodrow Wilson Says "Never Again" on His Campaign.

New York, Aug. 9.—"Never Again," exclaimed Woodrow Wilson this morning when he was asked whether he would read his campaign speeches, as he had his speech of acceptance. "I will never read another speech, if I can help it," the Democratic Presidential candidate said. "It's like poison to me."

As Governor of New Jersey and as president of Princeton, Dr. Wilson spoke extemporaneously, but he read his speech of acceptance the other day, and was apparently not pleased with the task.

Governor Wilson planned to spend another day with a portrait painter. He said he did not expect to start on his speaking tour before the first of September.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Swager Sherley, congressman from the Fifth Kentucky district, is to take the stump for Governor Wilson, starting on a speaking tour about September 15. The Kentucky congressman will go to Sea Girt in a few days for a conference with the Democratic nominee before planning his itinerary.

Flying Men Fall

victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved. "Six bottles of Electric Bitters," he writes, "did more to give me new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. It's folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it. Only 50 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At St. Louis, 0; Washington, 2 (2 innings; rain).
At Detroit, 1; Boston, 6.
At Chicago, 7; Philadelphia, 6.
At Cleveland, 3; New York, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	72	33	.686
Washington	65	40	.619
Philadelphia	60	43	.583
Chicago	52	50	.510
Detroit	53	54	.495
Cleveland	48	56	.462
New York	32	69	.317
St. Louis	33	70	.326

Cleveland, Aug. 9.—Gregg outpitched McConnell and Cleveland defeated New York today 3 to 1. Fifteen batsmen struck out.

Cleveland .....002 000 10x—3 10 0
New York .....000 000 100—1 6 4

Gregg and O'Neil; McConnell and Williams; time 2:10; umpires Egan and Sheridan.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Chicago defeated Philadelphia 7 to 6 today in a slugging match. The visitors took the lead as a result of two passes, an error and two hits, but were overtaken when bunched hits, a wild pitch and an error netted five runs and caused the retirement of Brown in the second inning. Philadelphia hit opportunely thereafter, but could not overcome the lead of Chicago.

Chicago .....051 001 00x—7 12 2
Philadelphia ....300 110 100—6 8 1

Walsh and Kuhn; Brown, Houck and Lapp; time 2:15; umpires O'Brien and Dineen.

Detroit, Aug. 9.—Boston pounded Mullin for seven hits in the fourth and fifth and defeated Detroit today 6 to 1. Stanage's great throwing broke up several other chances for Boston to produce runs, he retiring would-be base stealers.

Boston .....100 140 000—6 10 0
Detroit .....100 000 000—1 5 2

Bedient and Carrigan; Mullin, Works and Stanage; time 1:50; umpires Westervelt and O'Loughlin.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION.

Results Yesterday.

At Anderson, 2; Greensboro, 1.
At Winston-Salem, 1; Spartanburg, 3.
At Charlotte, 6; Greenville, 2.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Anderson	55	33	.625
Charlotte	51	37	.580
Winston-Salem	51	40	.560
Spartanburg	42	47	.472
Greensboro	39	50	.438
Greenville	30	61	.330

ONE SUPER-DREADNAUGHT

Democrats Will Compromise on a Single Big Battleship

Washington, August 9.—Battleship and no-battleship Democrats in the House today practically effected a compromise by which provision will be made in the naval appropriation bill for one super-dreadnaught. As a result of the understanding a petition was circulated for a caucus next Wednesday night. It is expected the difficulties by that time will have been smoothed out and there will be no hitch in putting through the programme.

The two-battleship champions are said to be insisting as a price for their surrender that the ship to be authorized shall be more powerful than any now afloat or contemplated. The proposal will be fought, however, as there is a strong conviction among many members of the Naval Affairs Committee that smaller and faster battleships of the cruiser dreadnaught type are preferable to those of the heavier armament and slower speed.

Assurances are reported to have been given by enough members opposed to battleships to insure a quorum at the coming caucus. At the previous caucus enough remained away to prevent any business being transacted.

MAY ALLOW LORIMER $40,000

His Bills for Expenses In Fight To Retain Seat $125,000

Washington, August 9.—An allowance of $35,000 or $40,000 may be made by the Senate to help William Lorimer defray the expenses of his three-year fight to retain his seat.

Lorimer has turned in bills amounting to $100,000 or $125,000. They have been referred to the investigating committee which will make a statement to the Senate probably tomorrow that certain items amounting to the sum stated, would be a fair allowance if any is made.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Misses Pauline Herron and Mary Davis will leave this morning for a ten days' stay at Wrightsville Beach."

New SLEEPING CAR Service
Inaugurated by
SEABOARD AIR LINE
—Between—
HAMLET and PORTSMOUTH

Effective August 1st, the Seaboard Air Line inaugurated a new Sleeping Car line between Hamlet and Portsmouth which now affords the traveling public a convenient service. This sleeper leaves Hamlet at 9:45 P. M., on No. 84, arriving at Portsmouth at 8:50 A. M. Returning this sleeper leaves Portsmouth at 9:50 P. M., arriving at Raleigh 6:00 A. M.; Sanford 7:14 A. M.; Hamlet 8:50. This is indeed a convenience to the traveling public making above trip and should be well patronized in order to insure its permanency.

WHERE SHALL WE GO, TO THE
BIJOU
OF COURSE!

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hancock, of Atlanta, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Joseph, of New York, were among yesterday's arrivals at the Hanover Inn.

Miss Martha Virginia Glover, of Birmingham, Ala., is among the attractive young ladies at the Seashore Hotel. She expects to be at the resort for several weeks.

Between 300 and 400 Atlantans are expected to arrive tomorrow morning about 8 o'clock on a special train over the Seaboard Air Line. The train leaves Atlanta this evening at 7 o'clock and will be operated on a fast schedule. The party will return on regular trains during the week. The hotels and boarding houses have made preparations for the accommodation of the pleasure seekers.

Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mrs. Victor S. Bryant, of Durham, stopped over in the city yesterday en route home from Wrightsville Beach. She visited her parents, Maj. and Mrs. Leo. D. Heartt.——Mrs. T. Edgar Johnston, of Salisbury, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Bost, on East Lane street. She is on her way to Wrightsville to spend ten days."

Complimentary to Mrs. Harry Stearns and her sister, Miss Ruth Wing, of Atlanta, Ga., two of the most attractive and popular visitors to the resort this season, Mayor Thos. H. Wright, of Wrightsville Beach, entertained a small party at an elaborate supper in the dining room of the Hanover Inn last night from 9 to 11 o'clock. It was one of the most enjoyable affairs that have been given at the resort this season. In the party besides the host and honor guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Jesse N. Couch, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Northrop and Mr. R. H. Gwaltney.

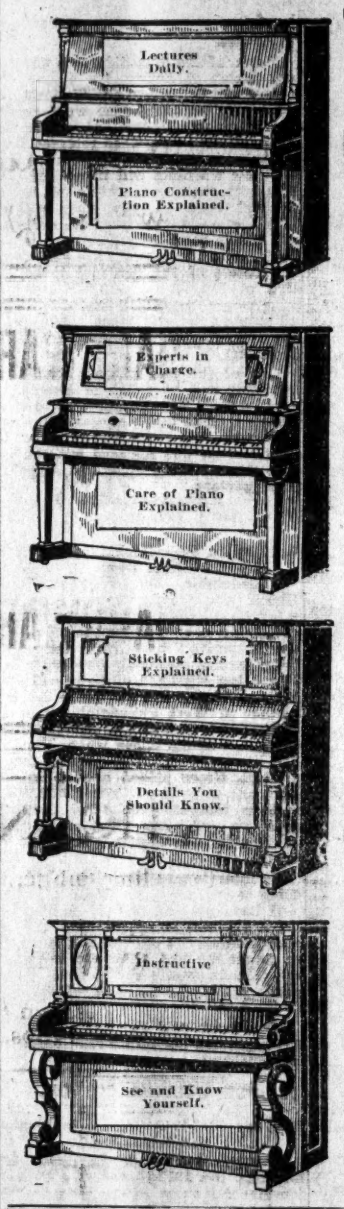
Mr. Robert Mayer, of Chattanooga, Tenn., gave a delightful motor boat party Thursday afternoon, the launch Susanna being used for the outing. Among those in the party were: Misses Margaret and Susanne Jones, Raleigh; Miss Martha Virginia Harvey, St. Louis; Miss Martha Glover, Birmingham; Miss Lillian B. Demarest, New Orleans; Miss Flossie Fitzgerald, Atlanta; the Misses Ramsay, Toccoa, Ga.; Messrs. Cobb, Birmingham; Goldsmith, Greenville, S. C.; Frank Henny, Hendersonville, and Winston, Washington, D. C. Yesterday morning practically the same party enjoyed a motor boat outing from the Carolina Yacht Club.

After spending several days at Wrightsville Beach, Capt. W. R. Furr, wife, daughter and son, of Knoxville, Tenn., who are making the trip around from Norfolk to Knoxville in their handsome raised-deck cruiser, "Ahoy," left yesterday morning for Charleston, S. C. The craft was anchored in Banks channel in front of the Oceanic Hotel during the stay of the party at Wrightsville Beach. Capt. Furr and family left Knoxville early in May and went by rail to Norfolk, where they went aboard the "Ahoy." They will make the entire trip from Norfolk to Knoxville by water, going by way of Charleston, Jacksonville, through the Gulf of Mexico, stopping at New Orleans, thence up the Mississippi river, visiting Memphis and St. Louis. They will then go on the Ohio river and the Tennessee river, stopping at Nashville, Chattanooga and other towns, before arriving at their destination. Capt. Furr is a well-known business man of Knoxville and the trip is for pleasure alone. He will keep the "Ahoy" for his private use and this Winter he expects to visit Florida and Panama. The "Ahoy" is a very handsome and well-equipped boat.

Yesterday's arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel included the following: Ira E. Howard, F. H. Hendrix, C. C. Tewe, Mrs. J. J. Carlton, Aiken, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wright and two children, Thomasville, Ga.; John. Stringfellow, Jesse Pool, Frank Mitchell, Will Perry, John Nicholson, Paul Stinson, Lester Pulhan, Will Williams, Jesse Armstrong, L. W. Stover, Sam Finley, John G. Frelock, C. O. Williamson, Ed Pool, Geo. W. Heron, H. Springfield, Henry Mitchell, J. B. Prince, Dalton, Ga.; Mrs. H. C. Mathis and three children, Georgia; Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Stevall, Miss Bessie Morrow, Rutledge, Ga.; E. V. Estes, J. C. Mann, Gay, Ga.; Mrs. J. H. Low, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith and nurse, N. E. Murphy, J. W. Hinchley, Mrs. M. M. Winter, Mrs. Tas Short, Atlanta; Miss Lutie Stringfellow, Mrs. R. C. McCaller, Master Richard McCaller, Alabama; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. S. Gardner, Covington; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hardwick and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Brandy, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Daniel, Rome, Ga.; Miss Sarah Dudley, Miss M. L. Dudley, Atlanta; H. D. Brown, W. T. Allen and J. W. Edwards, Lylicaugh, Ala.; J. J. Joy, New York City; Miss Lula Collins, Atlanta.

Among the arrivals yesterday at the Seashore Hotel were F. Moore, Columbia; H. W. Abbott, Richmond; C. M. Edwards, Sumter; Mrs. Thos. H. Webb, Miss Louise R. Webb, Miss Bessie R. Webb, Mrs. W. P. Holt, Miss Whitney Holt, Mrs. S. W. Holman, Duke, N. C.; Dr. and Mrs. Dial, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cox, Atlanta; B. L. McEachern, Lynchburg; Miss Isla Hamilton and Miss Agnes Harper, Rocky Mount; V. M. Carroll, Atlanta; E. A. Stewart and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Morris, F. S. Tarrant and family, Oscar Rembert and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clark, J. W. Bowen, Miss Edith Bowen, Robert and Paul Bowen, Birmingham; W. A. DuPre and family, Mrs. F. L. Wallace, D. H. McClesky, Marietta, Ga.; Jack Smith, Mrs. T. S. Smith, Miss Lucy Smith, J. F. Pope and family, Birmingham; Miss Louise Pope, Wilsonville, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Evans, Tallapoosa, Ga.; R. G. Merrick, Atlanta; P. W. Haines, W. D. Haines, Etherton, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Donahoe, Atlanta; Miss F. C. Mitchell, Birmingham; Mrs. C. W. King, Miss Sarah J. King, Miss Anna King, Barrington and Hallie King, Rome, Ga.; Jaes. R. Pratt, M. H. Murphy, Miss McDavid, Birmingham; Miss Flossie Fitzgerald, Dunn; Robt. McR. Holmes, Newberry, S. C.

Fireworks Monday,
August 12th, at the Beach, 9:00 P. M. **



The W. W. KIMBALL CO.
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Grand Educational Piano Exhibit and Practical Demonstration
AT WILMINGTON, N. C.
One Week, Beginning, Saturday, August 10th, and Closing Friday, August 16th. at 9:30 P. M.

Everybody is Invited—Factory Experts will explain details of Piano Manufacturing in a very interesting way—Nothing like it before in the history of this country. Look for the big sign, at A. D. RICH CO. FURNITURE STORE, Front Street.

A great educational exhibition of Kimball pianos will begin at Wilmington, N. C., for one week commencing Saturday, August 10th, and closing Friday, August 16th, at 9 P. M. We have secured spaces of almost one-half of the furniture store of A. D. Rich Co., for this grand exhibition.

This exhibition is for advertising purposes. Admission will be free and everybody is cordially invited to attend.

We have arranged special entertainment for all, each afternoon and evening.

The display will include one each of the different styles of Kimball, Whitney and Hinze pianos, and will be the most complete exhibit ever given by any piano company.

The object of the exhibit is to thoroughly introduce the different style pianos manufactured by W. W. Kimball Co., and have them as well known to the general public as the Kimball Reed Organs have been for the past 20 years.

Several years ago we used this method to introduce Kimball organs, and the plan was so successful, the Kimball organ business has been increased each year, while most of the other concerns that kept up the old expensive methods of advertising, have either failed or retired from business.

Kimball organs are now so well known in every section that we are able to get business at such low cost as to reduce the retail price on organs nearly one-third on each instrument; and it is our wish to have the Kimball pianos as well established as the Kimball organs are.

There are already over 250,000 Kimball pianos in use, and they have a very large trade of the principal dealers in the cities large enough to support a piano store.

We are positive we can double our business in the smaller cities and farm sections, if we get the public well acquainted with the beautiful tone and splendid wearing qualities of the Kimball piano.

We have withdrawn most of our advertising appropriation from the magazines and bill boards, and will use this advertising money in exhibiting instruments.

Kimball Pianos are now used by the world's greatest musicians, and by music conservatories; and as stated above, over 250,000 of the best families in this country use and endorse them.

The W. W. Kimball Co., has over twice the largest factory in the business, and over four times the largest cash capital. Any banker will give you our financial standing.

At the close of the exhibition all of the instruments will be sold in order to secure future sales by showing these samples from time to time and to make certain that each of the different styles will be left here, we will reduce the regular retail price to factory billing on each sample piano only, on very liberal terms.

The exhibition will be open evenings, and a souvenir will be given away free to each person who calls. We will be pleased to have you call, even if you never intend to get a piano.

A careful examination of the tone and construction of these sample pianos is what we desire. Piano mechanism will be explained by factory experts. We want your good opinion, and it will pay you for your time.

Exhibition open every day, evenings until 9 P. M. Watch papers for special announcement. Look for the big sign at A. D. Rich Co., opposite Orton Hotel.

..Theatrical..

Today is going to be a great Saturday at the Bijou. It will be one that will long remain in memory of those who have the pleasure of seeing the exceptionally superb bill that will be offered there today. The week-end crowd at the Bijou is always immense, but so large is the theatre with such big and splendidly arranged seating capacity, that it is never uncomfortable for those who attend. In fact, the Bijou is noted for its solid comfort, under all conditions, and it is such matchless comfort that largely adds to the theatre's great popularity.

The Bijou's swell bill today will include many film suprises, each of the latest and best type, but it is indeed well to note the topliner for today, because it is one of the greatest ever offered anywhere. It is the greatly heralded "The Derelict's Return," and for genuine heart throbs, the kind that are tender and wholesome, this photoplay stands without a peer. It shows how a youth, who longs to be united from his mother's "apron strings" goes from bad to worse, and strays away from home. He returns to his native village, pursued by officers for stealing, and hides in the old church. Next morning he awakes just in time to see the dead body of his mother borne in. The climax is thrilling and touching, but it works out the redemption of the youth, and he is lead to a really beautiful life. It is a great film, that will do one good to see.

The price at the Bijou is, of course, but 5 cents, afternoon and night.

Big Saturday at The Grand

As usual on Saturday's the Grand Theatre will offer today one of the best bills of the week on account of the always large patronage at the week-end. While the picutres will be three in number and other features of each performance will be the very best that money can make them, the price of admission is always the same—five cents to any part of the house. One of the feature films for today is "The Frailty of Man," an imported film, graphically depicting the story of a young man who cannot resist the lure of the card table and who has a friend, who frequently comes to his assistance, upon the promise of reform. The friend goes for his vacation, meets a very charming young lady, returns home to find that his companion has gone astray again and has actually forged his name to papers for large sums of money. It later develops that the fascinating girl is the sister of the fallen friend and love and duty battle with each other, the former winning. It is a story pointing to a strong moral and will be most interesting.

The other feature picture for today is "The Narrow Road," a Biograph wherein is shown that while it may seem hard traveling, it is the safest. Jim Holcomb and his pal who have served a term in the penitentiary are the leading characters in the plot and about them are intertwined a story that is well worth the telling. In addition to these pictures there is another just as good and the music by the orchestra will help to round out as pleasant an afternoon as one could wish.

WILL USE VETO

Taft Disapproves of Executive and Judicial Bill

Washington, August 9.—President Taft told friends today he expected to veto the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Appropriation bill which carries an amendment abolishing the Commerce Court. The President indicated clearly in his veto of the Army bill several weeks ago that he was opposed to legislation attached to appropriation bills. In addition to his objection to abolishing the Commerce Court Mr. Taft is said to be opposed to the proposal to limit civil service employes to seven-year terms.

THE BUSINESS MAN

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The Southern National Bank

U. S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Something of This Great National Trades Organization.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—The Chamber of Commerce of Wilmington, N. C., with 225 members, has now been elected to membership in the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America.

Though the National Chamber was organized as recently as April 22nd, more than 77,000 business men of the Nation are now affiliated with it through 102 different organizations covering 29 individual States and the Hawaiian Islands. The Chamber of Commerce of Alexandria, Va., with 52 members, is the smallest local organization that has so far joined; the Chamber of Commerce of Boston, Mass., with 4,609 members, is the greatest. The National Association of Glue and Gelatin Manufacturers of New York, with 36 members, is the smallest National body that has so far become affiliated. The next in size is the United States Potters' Association, with 56 members.

The detail work of the National Chamber is being carried on by the following men: General Secretary Elliot H. Goodwin, formerly secretary of the National Civil Service Reform League; Field Secretary, Edward F. Trefz, formerly advertising counselor to the Painted Display Advertising Association of the United States; Assistant Secretary, D. A. Skinner, formerly assistant chief, Bureau of Manufactures, Department of Commerce and Labor; Chief of Editorial Division and Editor of "The Nation's Business," G. Grosvenor Dawe, formerly managing director of the Southern Commercial Congress.

St. Louis, August 9.—Because rain prevented the completion of the St. Louis-Washington baseball game today, two games will be played tomorrow, it was announced tonight.

Fireworks Monday,
August 12th, at the Beach, 9:00 P. M.

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TWO WILMINGTON CHARTERS

Pepsi-Cola Company Incorporated—Fidelity Investment and Development Co., Increases Capital—Raleigh Notes

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 9.—Governor Kitchin today honored a requisition from the Governor of Virginia for Leroy Bowman, wanted in Norfolk for passing a forged draft or check, representing himself to be S. Bowman, Jr., of the firm of S. Bowman's Sons, Inc. Bowman is in jail at Asheville and William Hargraves is the officer designated to take the prisoner back to Virginia.

The Croatan Plantation Co., of Hoffman, is chartered with $10,000 capital by Ralph W. Page, F. C. Page and U. L. Spence for general agricultural purposes.

Another charter is for the Wilmington Pepsi-Cola Co., of Wilmington, capital $10,000 subscribed by J. W. Brooks, J. C. Wagner, Jr., and others. Capital may be increased to $25,000.

There is an amendment for the charter of the Fidelity Investment and Development Co., of Wilmington, that increases the capital from $100,000 to $500,000. C. E. Greensmyer is president and D. N. Chadwick, Jr., is secretary.

The people of Raleigh mourn the loss of an able business man and most valued citizen in the person of Mr. E. B. Barbee, who passed away about midnight, sucumbing to a second stroke of paralysis that came upon him a week ago. Mr. Barbee was 58 years old, had lived in Raleigh since 1878, being a native of Barclayville, near Fayetteville. He was one of the builders of the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound Railroad, now an important part of the Norfolk Southern. As a member of the firm of C. B. Barbee & Bro., the deceased has been an important factor in the cotton export business for this section for many years. He is survived by his brother, Claude B. Barbee, and a sister, Mrs. G. D. Rand, of Amelia county, Virginia. He was married three times, his last wife having been Miss Annie Traves, of Virginia, who died within the past year, leaving an infant child. There are two other children, Edgar W. Barbee, locomotive engineer on the Seaboard Air Line, and Mrs. A. H. Ball, of this city. The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 11 o'clock from the residence on North Blount street.

Ben Vann, the young white man charged with the mysterious murder of Master Olive Layden, was brought here and committed to the penitentiary for safe keeping this evening from Elizabeth City, by Sheriff Chas. Reid, and will be left here until September, when the trial is to be held.

The young man refuses to discuss the charge against him except to insist that he is not guilty.

Sheriff Reid says that while the people had quieted considerably since the threatened mob violence that developed right after the finding of the decomposed body of young Layden, he deemed it safest to get the prisoner out of that section and within the walls of the State's prison.

Penitentiary authorities are still searching in vain for three convict cooks, Frank Roberts, white; Green McAdoo, and Ed Womack. It developed today that they invaded the home of Eli Sanderford, just beyond the A. & M. College, on the morning of their escape, and forcibly exchanged their convict stripes for plain citizens' clothes.

ELON COLLEGE NOTES

Dormitory Improvements—Some New Buildings—Orphanage Supt.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Elon College, N. C., August 9.—Great improvements are just now under way in the college dormitories making them more comfortable and delectable to the eye for the influx of the student body early next month. The entire interior of the east dormitory is being repainted and calcimined a delicate green, soft and inviting to the eye. The west dormitory is also undergoing extensive repair and renovation. So also is the administration building.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McAdams have the sympathy of the entire community in the death of their infant son on Wednesday of this week.

Mr. M. A. Reitzel, who for 17 years has been a leading merchant here, has sold his business to Mr. A. W. Preston, Belew Creek, N. C. Mr. Preston is a well-known merchant of Forsyth county and may be depended upon to make the business here up-to-date in every way. He will also operate his Belew Creek store.

Mr. J. C. Pritchette, of the northeastern portion of the county, has purchased the Barnes home on Haggard street and will move his family here shortly. It is rumored that Mr. Barnes intends to build a home on his farm near the corporate limits.

The Consolidated Realty Company will offer for sale at auction here tomorrow 22 choice building lots.

Rev. E. M. Carter, Chipley, Ga., has been elected superintendent of The Christian Orphanage to succeed Rev. J. L. Foster, resigned. Mr. Carter will take charge December 1st, of this year. There is profound regret that Mr. Foster, who for 16 years has been at the head of the orphanage work of the Christian church, should be forced by failing health to seek relief from a duty he is so eminently qualified to perform. There is gratification, however, in the selection of Mr. Carter to the post, for it is felt that his talents qualify him worthily to succeed Mr. Foster.

The Trials of a Traveler.

"I am a traveling salesman," writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequaled. Only 25 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

Lumina Concerts Tomorrow

Special orchestra of 18 pieces at tomorrow night's concert. Programme includes "Tannhauser" March, "Tales of Hoffman," "Lucia" Sextette, "Pinafore" selections, etc. **

CITY AND COUNTY BUILDING.

Greensboro Moving for Handsome New Structure.

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 9.—Figuring that the property owned in Greensboro by the city and the county is worth $200,000; that the city has voted bonds to improve its municipal buildings and that neither are creditable to a growing city like Greensboro, Hon. E. J. Justice, Democratic candidate for the Legislature, proposes that the city and county, in effect, enter into a copartnership, sell off either the county's property or the city's building and erect a "County and City" building that would be a credit to a city of 100,000 population. He suggests that the "City and County" building be sufficiently large to accommodate the county offices and provide accommodation for Superior Courts and municipal courts and also for a splendid playhouse, auditorium or assembly hall, by whatsoever name one might wish to call it. Mr. Justice invites to the attention of the public and particularly the board of county commissioners and the board of city commissioners, to his suggestions. It is pointed out that if the plan is worked out, and it already has the endorsement of some leading citizens, that Greensboro and Guilford county would have the best quarters for municipal and county purposes of any city and county in the State; the finest opera house and the handsomest building in North Carolina, a building that would cost possibly half a million dollars.

SPIRITED STILL AWAY

Was In Hands of Guilford Sheriff, Found In Warehouse

Greensboro, N. C., August 9.—The authorities of Guilford county are more than pleased today in the fact that they have recovered a fine worm and still, captured several weeks ago in the lower portion of the county and which mysteriously disappeared from in front of the Court House a few days ago. It seems that after the still had been captured through the combined efforts of the county deputies and revenue officers and placed in the sheriff's office, with an occasional "sunning" on the outside, it disappeared one day and not until yesterday was it discovered. It was then found in an old warehouse and, it is alleged, was placed there as a "joke." Just what the "joke" will result in or how far the officers will consider the "joke" extended is not certain. There may be further complications—or rather proceedings, and the "joke" may ultimately turn out to be a rather expensive affair.

MELONS IN PLENTY

They Come From Everywhere to Newbern and Prices Are Poor

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., August 3.—Not before in many years has the local market been so well supplied with watermelons as it is just at this time. The docks and stores are filled with them and hundreds of wagons and push carts are peddling them around the streets. The majority of the local supply comes from Bogue Sound and every day several boat loads arrive in port from that section. While in conversation today with one of the largest farmers in that section and who each year sends thousands of melons to the market, he stated that the yield was unusually large. However, as is always the case when the market becomes overstocked the prices paid for the melons are very low and the growers are making but little profit. The supply of cantaloupes this season was not up to the average and but few of them are being offered for sale.

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FORECLOSURE.

By virtue of a Power of Sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by William P. Brittain and wife, Katie E. Brittain, to the Tidewater Trust Company, and registered in Book 64, page 395, et seq. of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned attorneys for said mortgagee will on Monday, the 19th of August, 1912, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door, in the city of Wilmington, sell by public auction for cash, the mortgaged premises which are situated in the State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover and City of Wilmington, and a part of Block 63, according to the official plan of said city, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning in the intersection of the western line of Sixth street with the northern line of Wooster street with a front on Sixth street of sixty-six (66) feet, and extending westwardly along the said line of Wooster street ninety-six (96) feet.

W. B. McKOY,
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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford Through Pullman Parlor Car Service between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
N. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (!), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 43, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57 * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58. * 8:15 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
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To the Beach

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect June 1st, 1912.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach
6:30 A.M.	6:05 A.M.
and every	7:15 A.M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	until
11:00 P.M.	11:45 P.M.
12:00 P.M.	
* 6:10 P.M.	

* Business Men's Express daily except Saturday and Sunday stops only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:15 P.M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
7:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	7:45 A.M.
and every	9:15 A.M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P.M.	until
12:00 P.M.	11:45 P.M.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
11:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.

Freight depot open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

Express trains stop only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

TELEPHONE 667

for information about train movements and all matters connected with transportation department.

W. B. & S. R. R.

Schedule in Effect Thursday, Aug. 1st 1912.

P. M.		A. M.
*3:15	Lv. . . . Wilmington . . . Ar.	8:15
4:05	" . . . . Town Creek . . . . "	7:20
4:20	" . . . . Bolivia . . . . "	7:05
4:55	Ar. . . . Southport . . . . Lv.	6:30

* Daily, except Sunday.

Special train operated Sunday only, leaving Southport, 6:30 A. M., arriving Wilmington, 8:15 A. M. Returning, leave Wilmington, 7:30 P. M., arriving Southport, 9:00 P. M.

H. E. GOODWIN,
jy12-tf Traffic Manager.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the provisions of a certain mortgage deed made by J. C. Jones and wife and J. R. Sherrill to A. S. Kirby, and duly registered on the records of New Hanover County, in Book 65, page 483, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, at the wood yard at the foot of Hanover street, in the City of Wilmington, on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock M., the following personal property, to-wit: 3 dump carts, 2 drays, 4 mules, 2 horses, 1 gasoline engine (5-horse-power), 1 saw and 1 splitter and machinery connected therewith.

And the undersigned will also sell, at the Court House door of New Hanover County, on Wednesday, the 21st day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock, M., that certain lot at Carolina Place, having a two-story dwelling thereon, beginning at the northeast intersection of Perry avenue and Eighteenth street; runs eastwardly along the line of Perry avenue 66 feet; thence northwardly 113 feet to an alley; thence westwardly along the line of said alley 66 feet to the eastern side of Eighteenth street 113 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 11 and 12, block 31, according to be map of said Carolina Place.

Said sale to be made subject to prior mortgages to the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company and C. R. Spooner.

This 10th of July, 1912.

A. S. KIRBY, Mortgagee.
By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys.
jy21-30d

ENTRY NO. 9128.

To the Entry Taker of New Hanover County.

D. L. Gore hereby enters the following described land, situate in Harnett Township, in New Hanover County, North Carolina, described as follows, and containing about 100 acres, to-wit:

Beginning at two stones on the Scott's Hill Macadamized Road, marked G H, and D L G; running thence North 29 degrees West 48 chains and 60 links, to a corner in Little Gum Branch; thence with the run of said Branch to the intersection of Big Gum Branch; thence up the same Northeastwardly to the Thomas Howe line; thence with the line of the Thomas Howe grant South 11 1-2 degrees West, about 20 poles, to the corner of said Thomas Howe grant; thence North 88 1-2 degrees East, about 40 poles, to the Marshburn—now James Grant—line; thence South 37 1-2 degrees West, about 19 chains, to a corner; thence about the same course continued to the beginning, and the same bounded on the South by his own tract, known as the Sarah Weeks land, and the Scott's Hill Road; on the West by D. L. Gore's Elm Grove Tract; on the North by Big Gum and Little Gum Branches, and the Thomas Howe grant, and on the East by the Reuben Everett tract and Thomas Howe grant.

This 2nd day of August, 1912.

D. L. GORE.

Entered and filed this 2nd day of August, 1912. JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.
au4-30d

SEABOARD Air Line Railway SCHEDULE

EFFECTIVE APRIL 9th, 1912.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON, N. C.

No. 45—5 A. M. arrive Hamlet, 9:05 A. M. Leave Hamlet 9:25 A. M.; arrive Charlotte, 12:10 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with train 66, at 9:05 A. M. with through train for Raleigh, Norfolk, Richmond and points North. At Monroe, with train 53 for Atlanta and points South. Daily sleeper for Charlotte. Open for occupancy at 10 P. M.

No. 39—3:25 P. M.; arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet 8 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and all points north. Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte, and sleeper between Wilmington and Atlanta daily. Through to Birmingham Sundays and Wednesdays.

TRAINS ARRIVE WILMINGTON, N. C.

No. 40—12:30 P. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 44—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

For further information, telephone or apply to the undersigned.

CLAUDE MURRAY, Union Ticket Agt. 'Phone No. 1294.
F. A. FETTER, Commercial Agent, Orton Hotel. 'Phone No. 178.
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C. B. RYAN, Gen. Passenger Agent, Portsmouth, Va. mh19-tf

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SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave for Southport, 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.; Carolina Beach, 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. Returning, leave Carolina Beach, 12:45, 6 and 8:30 P. M.

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Lv. Norfolk	8:30 a.m.	8:00 p.m.
Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a.m.	10:40 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
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Saturday, August 10, 1912.

The Chicago third term party is the I party.

Ahem! Ice lemonade has never ceased to be delightful, refreshing and beneficial.

Many candidates who are running for an office would run away with it if they could.

When "the political pot begins to boil" it is a sign that somebody's goose is getting cooked.

All the Presidential candidates favor an elastic currency. We'd like to see it made more lastic than it is.

A fair editor corrects his mistakes, but some men make others trying to crawl out of a hole.

What has become of the old-fashioned gentleman who always wanted to know "What's the matter with Hannah?"

The campaign in Robeson county sounds like the South Carolina primary contest had overflower into North Carolina.

Colonel Roosevelt is more disingenious than original. That sturdy Democrat, Allen G. Thurman, of Ohio, waved the bandana 32 years ago.

It is said there are so many meese in Bladen county that there is not enough of the old guard to hold an old-time Republican convention.

It is immoral to disobey the law and equally so to encourage others to do so. Men can aid and abet without being the principal in wrong-doing themselves.

We ought to consider ourselves ripped up the back for not being engaged in a big campaign to magnify the importance of the Wilmington-Southport ocean gateway.

In the midst of all this hysteria, behold the self-poise of Woodrow Wilson. He affords the country a calm demonstration of the utility of an equilibrator.

A politician who refuses to have a sore toe but smiles at those who are against him today is likely to make a winning race in the future. The fellow who sulks and goes in his hole may as well pull the hole in after him. Take your medicine and look pleasant.

A party may give some men all the honors in its power, but the same men may turn and rend it when their ambition is at stake. The quitters generally quit when it is to their interest to do so. They only use a party for their own selfish purposes and not to promote the public welfare.

It takes a politician to chew the rag and fling mud, but it is the statesman who discusses public questions so the people can become enlightened. Swinging around the circle indulging in slack-jaw and engaging in personalities stirs up men's passions, upsets their reason, and makes of them a lot of factional partisans and political ignoramuses. People cannot get mad and act judiciously on grave questions.

It is said President Taft will veto the new tariff revision bills. That's his prerogative whether or not he knows that it is exceedingly derogative to his chances. It is hard to tell whether a real juicy veto at this time will be more to the interest of Wilson than it will be for Roosevelt. We would say Wilson, for the reason that the bills are Democratic measures for the relief of the people. If the President wants to make a last stand for the interests and rock the boat with himself, let him crack the whip. It will start fresh fires in his briar patch.

THE CLINCHFIELD COALING STATION

Southport and Wilmington will be keenly interested in the announcement that the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Railroad actually has decided upon Charleston for the construction of its coal piers and that the preliminary work has begun. Upon that subject the Charlotte Observer of yesterday says:

"Although it is still believed that the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Railroad will develop its water properties at Southport and that one of its main lines will reach that terminal through Charlotte, the first work toward developing a large port for that system has been started at Charleston. It was reported some time ago that the officials of the road, after making a number of changes in the organization of the company, had also purchased water rights at Southport and that the port would be selected over that at Charleston or at least in connection with it in giving the road a sufficient outlet from its interior holdings in the coal fields of Virginia. The road has sent its chief engineer already to Charleston to make borings and soundings preparatory to beginning the construction of the terminals.

"The recent increase in the capital stock in the Clinchfield road is admitted to have been for the purpose of enabling it to amplify its facilities for placing this commodity on the market. The company owns an immense territory of rich coal fields about Danie, Va., and the output so far has been graduated to the amount of money that the company had to put the product on the market. It proposes now an increase in output from 1,500,000 tons to 4,000,000 tons.

"The engineer who has been sent to Charleston has been reticent as to the purposes of the company with its property at Southport, although he admitted that it did own considerable territory there and had only recently got title to it. He expressed the opinion, however, that Charleston has many advantages over more Northern coaling points and his interpretation of the advantages offered there applies to Southport which, it is still believed, will be the next development of the company.

"Southport is easily reached by the Clinchfield road. The main line switches southward at Bostic where the Seaboard is crossed. It has been presumed all along that arrangements would be made by which the Seaboard system could be used from Bostic to Southport, giving the company a quick and direct line from its coal fields to the ocean outlet."

The Charleston papers confirm what the Observer says. This is a piece of good luck which it is needless to begrudge the South Carolina port. It was impossible that the advantages of Charleston would be overlooked indefinitely, and the final decision of the Clinchfield coal people to establish a coal depot there only serves to accentuate the advantages of Southport and Wilmington as a twin port and of Savannah and Jacksonville, respectively, as geographic points to be made available for coaling stations and commercial developments when the opening of the Panama canal brings about a new routing of the world's commerce for the Pacific and Oriental trade.

This may appear to be the optimistic view to take of a situation in which Charleston seems to have drawn the first lucky card, but The Star long ago predicted that the ports of Wilmington, Charleston and Savannah would be required for coal depots when it was realized that in a few years probably more than half the world's commerce would have to come near these ports in order to reach the Isthmian waterway. We have not yet begun to realize how tremendously important our South Atlantic ports will become in a few years. The Star predicted that when work on the canal was commenced we would see the great railway systems making for our ports, and they have only begun what later will become a sensational rush.

The Clinchfield people may just as well put in a coaling station at Southport now, for it will not only be needed by the time it is completed but it is needed now. Coaling stations at Southport, Charleston and Savannah will have all the business they can do, and the already immense business at Newport News is small to what it is destined to be when our ships and the ships of the world will pass along our coast to engage in the South American, Central American, Japanese, Chinese and Oriental trade, not to mention the great Pacific coast trade in which American ships will have the advantage.

We had better wake up to the unrivalled advantages of the Wilmington-Southport ocean gateway. The realization of their eligibility as ports and distributing points will yet steal upon us like a thief in the night and we will then recognize the fact that we are asleep. The Star is willing to guarantee that if proper efforts were being made to magnify the importance of the geographic and natural advantages of our ocean stations for distribution by water and rail, we would not only have a coaling station but greater developments already in progress. We will yet have them, but we can get them quicker by taking ourselves seriously and co-operating on definite lines to hasten the day of big things.

The thing that ails us now is that we are doing nothing. Other ports with less advantages are attracting more attention than is the unequaled Cape Fear ocean gateway.

RECIPROCITY IDEA GROWING.

While Canada turned down the reciprocity compact with the United States, the question is still being agitated there and is said to be growing in favor. In defeating reciprocity the Canadians cut themselves out of free entry into a market of 100,000,000 consumers. Since Canada rejected reciprocity, President Taft urges repeal of the act of Congress authorizing such an agreement to be made with the Dominion government. The Democrats are not favorable to repeal, however, and thereupon the New York Journal of Commerce remarks:

"The growth of reciprocity agitation in Canada shows that that country may yet have the grace to admit economic error. Many Canadians now expect to see overtures to the United States made within the near future. It would be an international irony should Congress repeal the act before Canada gains her own consent to ask for the concessions she has once rejected. Mr. Underwood and his fellow members have taken the broad view in resisting demands for repeal thus far."

It will do no harm for the act to remain upon the statute books, since it can only be effective when Canada agrees to enter into reciprocal trade relations with us. However, it leaves this country in a position to take up the question at any time without going through the initial formalities to bring about a satisfactory agreement. It does not mean that such an agreement would be the same as that made by President Taft. That was reciprocity with the Republican motive behind it—free raw material for American trusts—wheat for the milling trust, cattle on the hoof for the packing trust, and a free market for the Canadian timber and lumber, owned mostly by Americans, and unhampered traffic for the Hill lines.

The chief question with Canada when she rejected reciprocity was that such an agreement with this country would have destroyed the Canadian fiscal system and compelled that country to adopt the same tariff as ours. Canada, while not a part of the United States, would have stood on the same trade basis as any State of the Union, and it follows that wages and prices there necessarily would have adjusted themselves on the same basis as ours. Of course, that would not have been anything to us, but it would have meant a great deal to the Canadians. Sooner or later the United States and Canada would have been the same country so far as trade, wages and prices go.

While reciprocity would have given the Canadians an inexhaustible market in this country, the wheat growers of our Western States opposed reciprocity because Canadian wheat would have come in competition with theirs. They were told that it would not hurt them, but in the face of that argument the very prospect of reciprocity caused wheat prices to go down in this country. For instance, in calling attention to the great wheat crop grown in the United States this season, the Journal of Commerce makes note:

"This year we are promised the largest wheat crop on record, estimates varying from 700,000,000 to even 800,000,000 bushels. At Chicago the price has dropped below 92 cents, the lowest since April, 1911, when reciprocity with Canada was in prospect. The last highest was in June, 1909, when the price in Chicago was run up to $1.60 on a short crop. Here is a striking example of the effect of supply and demand upon prices. It affords little support to the gold faddists."

The Journal of Commerce only meant to call attention to the drop in the price of wheat at this time, and had no intention of making a statement which justifies American wheat growers in fearing the result of reciprocity. It is curious how things work around for both the advantage and disadvantage of people under the same conditions, and while ultimately the price of wheat would have been largely controlled by the law of supply and demand, we have the proof that an artificial condition, brought about by the mere prospect of reciprocity, actually caused American wheat growers considerable loss by the decline of the price of wheat.

None of these facts constitute an argument against real reciprocity satisfactory to both countries. A Democratic reciprocity agreement no doubt would be entirely different from that which Taft had on foot. That was reciprocity for special interests. We suspected that much when it was proposed by a Republican President, and it seems that the North Carolina delegation in Congress, save one, also saw the cat in the meal tub.

DRAINAGE IN IREDELL.

Fine results have followed the drainage of Third and Fourth creeks in Iredell county, the plan followed being that provided for in the North Carolina drainage act. That act provides for the incorporation of drainage districts or corporations composed of landowners whose property is to be affected by the draining of a given area. The corporations issue bonds secured by a lien on the property affected, and thus the funds are raised in a co-operative way for the benefit of the community concerned. We have several successful drainage districts in eastern North Carolina organized under that plan, and in every instance the result has surpassed the greatest expectations of the landowners.

Mr. R. A. Cooper, of Iredell county, one of the commissioners of the Fourth Creek District, in Iredell, writes the Salisbury Post that the dredging of Third and Fourth creeks has been in progress six or seven months. They had been filling up for years and many acres of rich land had become overflowed and useless. The channels have been dredged a distance of ten miles on each creek, and in some places where the work was done early in the Spring farmers have magnificent crops of corn.

Mr. Cooper writes that the dredging reclaims every acre of land affected by the backwaters of the creeks, besides benefitting the county many thousands of dollars from a health point of view. The projects cost about $28,000 each, and the cost of reclaimed land per acre is about $20.50, to be paid in the ten years that the bonds are to run.

In all probability the corn crops this season will be worth more per acre than the cost of draining such lands as have been planted. The farmers have reclaimed lands worth from $50 to $100 an acre, to say the least.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The Wilmington Star says: "Inasmuch as the unexpected always happens, Roosevelt might beat Taft." Maybe so, but he will hardly beat Wilson.—Newbern Sun.

A gentleman whose name is Ward made a speech in Reidsville last night in support of Judge Clark's candidacy for the Senate, in which he went after both Simmons and Kitchin. Speaking of the former, he said an eel felt like a piece of sandpaper in comparison to Mr. Simmons. This is some "slick."—Greensboro Record.

The Colonel has decided and that settles it. No negro from the South can sit in the Bull Moose convention, but a negro from any other section is desired as spice to the assemblage! Since the Southern negro delegate made the nominations of Teddy and Taft possible, how has he fallen from grace in these later years?—Jacksonville Times-Unoin.

Woodrow Wilson's speech of acceptance is the ablest, clearest, sanest statement of high public purpose this country has known in a generation. Without passion, without invective, without abuse, without partisan bitterness, without denunciation, without egotism, without demagogy, he has driven straight to the heart of the supreme issue of American institutions—the partnership between Government and Privilege.—New York World.

Governor Wilson says he is willing to take advice on banking and currency. He will be, if elected, the first President for a good while who has been thus open-minded. But what kind of advice will he take? He can find many different varieties within his own party. A right choice of advisers on this subject will entitle Mr. Wilson to a high place as a student of the question. Col. Roosevelt wants "elasticity," but he also will need a good deal of advice how to attain it.—New York Journal of Commerce.

The Union Republican says: "Governor Kitchin made a serious charge against the Democratic State press in a speech at Charlotte the past week when he declared that if he had money he could have as much space as he wanted in leading Democratic organs in North Carolina, and singled out the Raleigh News and Observer as an example. Even politically the Republican believes that the papers of that party are conducted on a high plane, especially when it applies to its own political family." A rebuke has come from about every source, and no doubt the Governor begins to feel it by this time.—Greensboro News (Ind.)

A political party intrusted with government which undertook to translate the Roosevelt speech into legislation would soon end in an insane asylum. It could be held in control only by a straightjacket. In justice to Mr. Roosevelt's intelligence it should be said that this speech was not intended as a programme of government. It was intended as a cunning, demagogic bid for votes. If Mr. Roosevelt were President again he would not undertake to carry out this speech in the form of legislation or administration. He would undertake only enough of it to keep the country seething with agitation and his own name on the front page of the newspapers every morning.—New York World.

All those things that Col. Roosevelt charges against the Republican party are true, the Democrats will admit, but they were just as true when the colonel was the beneficiary of the party as they are now. The corrupt alliance between Republicanism and big business was just as close in 1904, when Alton B. Parker told the country about it, as it is now. Yet then the colonel denounced Parker and vehemently denied his assertions. The difference then and now is that Col. Roosevelt was then the political beneficiary of the aliance and now he is not so far as the Republican party is concerned, though he apparently has an alliance of his own with the steel and harvester trusts and nobody knows how many more.—Raleigh Times.

NEWBERN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.

Plans for New Building—Aged Colored Woman—The Gaston.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., Aug. 9.—It is understood that at an early date the Catholics of this city, assisted by other members of that denomination in other cities, will erect a school at this place. Several months ago a site for the new school was purchased. This is located on New street, just in the rear of the Catholic church property and is a very desirable location.

Monday night Amanda Perkins, colored, perhaps the oldest woman in Craven county, succumbed to an attack of fever at her home in James City, just across Trent river from Newbern. She claimed to be 101 years of age and despite this fact was in fairly good physical condition.

The Gaston Hotel in this city is now in charge of Mr. G. R. Moore, auditor for Mr. B. H. Griffin, who will remain at the head of affairs until the arrival of the new proprietor, Mr. Rufus Cherry. Mr. C. T. Bennett the former manager, left last night with his wife and daughter for Black Mountain, where they will spend several weeks. A number of changes will be made at the hostelry in several ways.

FOR NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA

Take Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

A grateful relief from acid stomach, nausea or sick headache. A tonic.

KINSTON NEWS NOTES.

Duncan Endorsed—Fire Causes Loss. Tobacco Sales—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Aug. 9.—At a meeting yesterday, the Kinston Merchants' Association endorsed E. C. Duncan, of Raleigh, for the presidency of the Norfolk Southern Railroad. Mr. Duncan's activity in the development of the road, his excellent financial connections and his executive ability were set forth by the business men as reasons for the selection of the Raleigh man as the head of the road.

Fire practically destroyed the home of W. F. Freeman, near the high school building, in northeast Kinston, before the department could reach the scene. The blaze, originating from a defective flue, had considerable headway before it was discovered. The house, a frame structure, was gutted and most of the furniture in the rear rooms destroyed. The loss was the heaviest occasioned by fire here this year, and insurance was carried only to the amount of $300.

As the 15th approaches, the tobacco market in Kinston shows more and more signs of activity. The local warehousemen have arranged their forces, and are putting their houses, stables, etc., in condition to handle the large patronage anticipated because of the decidedly favorable crop conditions.

L. P. Tapp, president of the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad Company, and other stockholders from here, attended a meeting of the company at Morehead City yesterday. A dozen stockholders from points west of Kinston passed through Wednesday evening, others going down yesterday. The meeting, the annual business session of the company, was held in the Atlantic Hotel.

CORPORATIONS BARRED.

No Contributoons Expected From That Source to Campaign Fund.

New York, Aug. 9.—No corporation contributions have been received thus far to Governor Woodrow Wilson's campaign fund and none is expected. Governor Wilson gave out that information tonight while discussing campaign contributions. The Governor was told that Rolla Wells, former mayor of St. Louis, was on his way to New York to begin work as treasurer of the National Democratic Committee. He was informed of Mr. Wells' statement in St. Louis that corporation contributions with strings attached would not be accepted. But no contributions have come from any corporation thus far," said the Governor with a smile, "and I don't think there is the least danger that they will."

Governor Wilson sat seven hours today in a studio while an artist completed a charcoal sketch which is to be used for campaign purposes. After the Governor left the studio, he was waylaid by a physician who said his business was psycho-physics, or reading the face. He said he wanted to arrange an appointment with the Governor when he might study the candidate's physiognomy. The Governor told him to come to Seagirt next week.

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On account of the encampment of the State militia at Fort Caswell the steamer Wilmington on Sunday offers a special trip to the fort, leaving Wilmington 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., returning leave Fort Caswell at 11:30 and 4:45 P. M. au 9-2t.

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PRISONER DIED IN JAIL

Delirium Tremens Caused Death Early Yesterday Morning of F. H. Schutters, Sentenced to 30 Days In Jail

F. H. Schutters, 30 years old, formerly a United States army recruiting officer in this city, but more recently engaged in the grocery business, who was sentenced by Judge Frank Carter, in Superior Court, last Saturday night to 30 days in the county jail for violation of the prohibition law, died in his cell at the jail yesterday morning at 5:15 o'clock. Delirium tremens, with which he was attacked Tuesday afternoon, is said to have been the cause of death. He never regained his reasoning powers from the time he was first attacked with what is pronounced by Dr. W. D. MacMillan, county superintendent of health, the worst case of alcoholic mania he had ever seen in his long and varied practice.

With him when he died was his family physician, who was called to him shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday morning, and members of his family. Dr. MacMillan and Sheriff S. P. Cowan were notified at their homes on Greenville Sound and came to the city as soon as possible, but did not arrive until 10 minutes after the man had died. The body was turned over to Mr. Walter E. Yopp, the undertaker, and prepared for burial.

Schutters was one of the 60-odd defendants who at the January term of Superior Court entered a plea of nolo contendere to a charge of selling whiskey, prayer for judgment being continued upon condition that he not engage in the sale of whiskey for a period of 12 months. During the recent term of court he was arrested on a capias and after investigation Judge Carter held that he had violated his agreement. Judge Carter inquired if Schutters could pay a fine and when informed that he could not, he told the defendant that he might prepare for a road sentence. However, he left the case open for a few days in order to give the defendant an opportunity to remove from the city, as had been suggested, as the court did not desire to work any hardship upon the defendant's wife and daughter. Last Saturday night the defendant informed the court that Wilmington was his wife's home and that she did not want to remove to another town to live. Out of consideration for the wife and daughter, Judge Carter made the penalty as light as possible under the circumstances, a sentence of 30 days in the county jail.

According to county officers Schutters was in an intoxicated condition when placed in jail Saturday night, but he appeared to be all right Sunday morning, excepting, of course, the seemingly bad feeling that most generally comes with the "morning after." Deputy Sheriffs A. L. Kelly and Melvin Horne were in charge of the jail until Tuesday afternoon, during the absence from the city of Jailer Branch. Mr. Kelly said yesterday that apparently there was nothing the matter with Schutters until Tuesday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock when he was taken with delirium tremens. Dr. MacMillan was summoned and attended the defendant about 5 o'clock, leaving medicines to be given him every two hours.

Jailer Branch returned Tuesday night and visited the prisoner soon after his arrival. From that time on Jailer Branch took personal charge of the prisoner and gave him the medicines with the utmost regularity. Schutters, it is said, became so violent on Wednesday that it was necessary to remove the hammock from his cell, it being feared that he might attempt to kill himself by hanging. It was said at the Sheriff's office yesterday that he did attempt to butt himself out of his cell and as the result he had an abrasion on his head.

Schutters is said to have quieted down Thursday afternoon, after having thoroughly exhausted himself, and when visited by his family physician, Dr. J. T. Schonwald late in the afternoon, he was reported by the physician to be resting easy and there appeared to be no occasion for further alarm over his condition. Complying with the request of the family Sheriff Cowan and Dr. MacMillan Thursday consented to allow a person to stay in the jail to act as a nurse for Schutters. Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday morning Schutters became violent again and Jailer Branch was summoned. He called in Dr. Schonwald, who stayed with the patient until death came at the hour mentioned.

There was some criticism yesterday of county officers for not sending Schutters to the hospital for treatment. Sheriff Cowan stated that he was approached Thursday afternoon by one of the attorneys for Schutters and asked to send the prisoner to the hospital. He said that he told the lawyer that he had no authority to send the man to the hospital except on an order of the county superintendent of health, and that the attorney then remarked that he thought only the Governor would have the power to order the man's transfer to the hospital under the circumstances. Sheriff Cowan said that he endeavored to get in communication with the county superintendent of health to obtain the order, but that he could not locate him. Dr. MacMillan said that Schutters had received every attention possible for a man in his condition and that had he been at the hospital, which he said, is not a place for a person in that condition, nothing more could have been done for him. Jailer Branch was emphatic in his declaration that he had worked faithfully and hard in an effort to give Schutters the best of attention. A deputy sheriff who visited the jail in the afternoon to serve some papers on a prisoner confined there, said that several prisoners, after being informed of the criticisms of the county officers, declared that they would like an opportunity to testify to the kind and careful attention given Schutters by Jailer Branch.

It was talked on the streets yesterday that the family intended to bring suit against some of the county officers for heavy damages, alleging that Schutters died of lack of attention. W. P. Gafford, Esq., their counsel, is quoted as saying yesterday that it is probable that action will be brought for damages. However, there was no intimation as to who will be made defendants.

The body was removed from the funeral parlors to the home of Mr. W. P. Woodcock, a relative, at No. 1108 North Fourth street, and the funeral will be held from the residence at 10:30 o'clock this morning, conducted by Rev. H. E. Beatty, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church. The interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

Mrs. Schutters is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Holland, of North Fourth street. She is prostrated with grief over the sad death of her husband. Many friends will extend to the bereaved their tenderest sympathies.

A prominent physician, who has treated probably 2,000 cases of delirium tremens, stated last night that it was very unfortunate indeed that the local hispital was not provided with accommodations for taking care of such patients. In his opinion, it is barbarous not to have some place in a city the size of Wilmington for the treatment of persons attacked with this affection. He said that out of the large number of cases he had treated not one had died, but they were treated in a hospital, where there are facilities for caring for them, and not in a jail.

SUNDAY AT CAROLINA.

Attractive Programme for Afternoon and Evening Concerts.

The following is the attractive programme which has been prepared by the director of the Airdome Orchestra for the concerts to be rendered at Carolina Beach tomorrow afternoon and evening:

Afternoon Programme—4 P. M.

Rag Two-Step, "Cloud Kisses"—Birch.
Selection, "A Knight for a Day"—Hubbell.
Phantom Isle Waltzes—Williams.
Aviation Rag—Janya.
Song, "At the Gate of the Palace of Dreams"—Schmid.
Intermezzo Lawana—Robinson.
Excerpts from "Miss Innocence"—Ziegfeld.
Joy Rag—Roberts.

Night Programme—7 P. M.

March Song, "I'm the Guy"—Wilson.
Waltz, "When I Dream of You."—Johnson.
Selection, "Three Million Dollars"—Friedland.
Fashion Rag—Cohen.
Song, "My Old Girl."—Cutty.
March, "My Indian Queen"—Schmringenstein.

MEETING OF PRESBYTERY

Session Held Monday at Burgaw—A. C. L. Train Crowded

(Pender Chronicle).

Wilmington Presbytery held a special meeting here Monday, the object of this meeting being to consider the dismissal of Rev. W. M. Sikes from the Presbytery. The following ministers were present: Dr. J. M. Wells, of Wilmington; Rev. E. B. Carr, of Atkinson, and Rev. W. P. M. Currie, of Wallace, also Rev. W. M. Sikes. Presbytery granted the request of Mr Sikes for dismissal.

If the A. C. L. Railroad Co., would put on an extra coach on the Shoo-Fly, leaving Wilmington at 7 P. M., it would be very satisfactory to the traveling public. We hear much complaint of the overcrowding of the white coach on that train, as the travel out of Wilmington is getting to be very heavy, and people do not feel like paying for a seat, and then have to stand up, and sometimes be forced to go into the colored car.

WATERWAYS CONVENTION.

Mr. Meares Harriss to Officially Represent State Association

At a meeting of the executive committee of the North Carolina Waterways Association, held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce a few days ago, Mr. Meares Harriss, secretary of the association, was elected as the delegate to officially represent the association at the annual meeting of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, which will be held at New London, Conn., September 3rd to 6th. About 40 persons in different parts of the State accepted appointments as delegates. Wilmington, it is believed, will be largely represented.

The executive committee discussed the bill pending in Congress in regard to certain phases for the opening and maintenance of the Panama Canal, but no action was taken. The meeting was presided over by Mr. J. A. Taylor and in attendance were Messrs. M. W. Divine, R. A. Parsley, H. G. Smallbones and Meares Harriss.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Nonie F. King and Mrs. Katie B. Corbett to B. C. Wilkins and wife, for $150 and other considerations, lot 1 in Block 6, Love Grove; Nonie F. King and Mrs. Katie B. Corbett, to B. C. Wilkins, for $10 and other considerations, lot 13, in Block 5, Love Grove; Ida M. Black to Phillis Bowen, for $1 and other consideration, lot on 10th,66 feet north of Queen, 33x100 feet in size; Minnie L. Swann to O. M. Hill, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Fifth, 173 feet south of Castle street, 22x90 feet in size; W. A. Wood and wife to L. B. Jordan, for $10 and other considerations, lot No. 3 in Delgado tract; B. B. Humphrey and wife to New Hanover County Board of Education, for $50, tract of one and one-half acres in Harnett township, on south side of Iron Spring Neck road.

Funeral of Mrs. Potter.

The funeral of Mrs. Martha A. Potter, whose death occurred Thursday, was held from the late residence, No. 816 South Eighth street, yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock, Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor of the Southside Baptist church, conducting the services, which were attended by a large number of sorrowing friends. Interment was made in Bellevue cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. John Thomas, P. F. W. Russ, E. J. Padrick and G. W. Mills.

Death of Little Son.

Willie Hannibal Porter, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter, of No. 63 Delgado, died yesterday at noon at the family residence, after a brief illness. The child was a bright and manly little fellow and his death is a crushing blow to the bereaved parents, who will have the sympathy of many friends. The funeral will be held from the residence this morning at 11 o'clock. Interment will be made in Bellevue cemetery.

LARCENY OF MULE CHARGED

Lisbon Payne, Alias Lisbon Noble, Colored, in Limelight at Police Headquarters Once More—Peculiar Case.

Stealing a mule Wednesday, being shot in the heel Wednesday night, arising from his bed Thursday, executing a bill of sale and conveying the mule to another party for the sum of $75 that same day and being arrested yesterday on a charge of the larceny of the mule, is the rather remarkable record of Lisbon Payne, colored, sometimes known as Lisbon Noble; at least that is what the police have to say of the case.

Payne was arrested yesterday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock by Hall Officer Joe Lane, on a warrant charging that he did unlawfully, wilfully and feloniously steal, take and carry away one mule from the possession of W. H. Pridgen, the value of said mule being over $20. Payne was locked up at the City Hall to await hearing in the Recorder's court this morning.

It is alleged that Payne, who has been working in the city scavenging service, stole the mule Wednesday. The mule was the property of Mr. J. D. Taliaferro, but has been used in the scavenger service recently, under the direction of Mr. W. H. Pridgen, foreman of the service. It was missed Wednesday, but Payne, who had not been working for several days, was not suspected at that time.

Wednesday night about 9:30 o'clock Payne was shot through the heel at Sixth and Brunswick streets, Charlie Hankins, another negro, being arrested a little later charged with the shooting. Payne went to the hospital and had his wound dressed, after which he was taken to his home on Dock, between 10th and 11th streets. It was thought that he was not seriously wounded, but that it would be a matter of some days before he would be able to be out again.

However, from the chain of evidence which Mr. Pridgen and the police have woven about him, it appears that he arose the next morning and took the mule to the home of Josh Moore, colored, at Rock Hill, on the Castle Haynes road, about six miles from the city. Moore, it seems, had a sick mule and was on the market for another. Payne is said to have represented to him that he was selling the mule for a negro woman named Scott, and that she wanted $75 for the animal. Moore decided to buy the mule and accordingly Payne executed a crude bill of sale, transferring the animal from the Scott woman to Moore, for a consideration of $75.

Yesterday morning Mr. Pridgen received information that the mule had been taken to Moore's home and he drove out to investigate. He found the animal and identified it as the missing one. Moore then told him of the sale.

Mr. Pridgen then came back to the city and took out a warrant for Payne. The paper was served by Hall Officer Joe Lane about 3:30 o'clock. Moore brought the mule to the city in the afternoon and turned the animal over to Mr. Pridgen. When Payne was brought to the City Hall Moore identified him as the negro who had sold the mule.

It will be remembered that Payne is the negro who was charged with embezzling something over $100 from the Central Ice Company here several months ago. The money and the negro were missed about the same time. A week or so later Payne came in with his father and gave himself up. The case came up in the last term of Superior Court and a nol pros was taken. It was said that the ice company had recovered the amount and did not wish to prosecute the case.

It was reported to the police yesterday that Mr. John Redd, of East Wilmington, had lost a horse and a mule. Mr. Redd reported that he was of the opinion that someone maliciously opened the gate of his stable lot and let the animals out.

DR. WILLIAMS HERE

Successor to Dr. Chas. H. Gardner Arrived Yesterday Morning

Dr. L. L. Williams, who succeeds Dr. Chas. H. Gardner here as superintendent of the United States Marine Hospital, and Mrs. Williams arrived in the city yesterday morning, Dr. Williams taking charge and relieving Dr. Jno. C. Wessell, who has been acting as superintendent temporarily, at noon. Dr. Williams comes to Wilmington from Boston, where he was stationed at the United States Marine Hospital there. Dr. Gardner went from here to Detroit, Mich., to take charge of the government hospital.

The new superintendent of the marine hospital made his home in Wilmington many years ago, and will be remembered by a number of citizens, who will delight in welcoming him back and in renewing old acquaintances. He and Mrs. Williams will make their home on the government reservation here.

Three Alarms Yesterday

Yesterday was a busy day for the fire department, the laddies being called out to answer three different alarms. The first came in yesterday morning at 7:10 o'clock from Box 33. A small blaze had started from the heat of the furnace in the plant of the North State Candy Company at Water and Chesnut streets. Damage did not amount to more than $25. At 11 A. M., an alarm came in from Box 61, a sparke from the chimney having started a blaze at the home of Matilda Holmes, colored, at 911 Ann street. Damage was about $2. A telephone alarm came in at 4:58 yesterday afternoon. This time the blaze was at 917 Dock street, the home of Olive Bell, colored, and was caused by a spark from the chimney. The damage here was hardly more than $2.

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Fireworks Monday,

August 12th, at the Beach, 9:00 P. M. **

WHISKEY CASES YESTERDAY

One Defendant Submitted and Another Found Guilty in Recorder's Court—Prayer for Judgment Continued.

C. T. Blake, a white man, entered a submission in the Recorder's court yesterday to a charge of violating the prohibition law, and prayer for judgment was continued upon the payment of costs and the defendant's filing bond of $350 for his appearance in court on the first Monday of each month for a period of one year to show that he has not engaged directly or indirectly in the sale of intoxicants, and that he has been on his good behavior.

The case came up from Justice Harriss' court, Blake having been arrested on a warrant issued by him some weeks ago. The charge was that the defendant sold beer at his place on Whiskey creek.

Mrs. Lina DuPlacey was found guilty on a charge of violating the prohibition law and a like disposition was made of her case, the prayer for judgment being continued upon payment of costs and the defendant to give bond of $200 for her appearance each first Monday for one year.

The charge was that Mrs. DuPlacey sold or alowed whiskey to be sold at her store on Fourth street, between Taylor and Nixon. Plainclothesman D. W. Coleman testified to having seen a clerk in the store make a sale from a bottle that looked like whiskey, and he also told of finding 129 bottles of whiskey concealed in a pile of wood back of the store.

The defendant testified that she had purchased a stock of groceries from a man and that he gave her the whiskey, as he was going out of business.

J. A. Rogers, white, who drives the city water-wagon, was up on a charge of violating the driving ordinance. Judgment was suspended on payment of costs. Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau remarked to the court that he had often seen men in court for being off the water-wagon, but that this was the first time he had seen a defendant held as a result of being on the water-wagon.

Prayer for judgment was continued in the case against Dandy Johnson, colored, charged with violating the tax ordinance. Judgment was suspended on Ed Robinson, colored, charged with assault and battery and disorderly conduct, on payment of the costs. One drunk paid $5 and costs.

This morning's session of the Recorder's court, if one is held, will be held in the City Hall, as Dr. W. D. MacMillan, county superintendent of health, yesterday fumigated the court room, and it will be closed until Monday morning.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements by Wilmington Pastors for Services Tomorrow.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor—Services tomorrow 11 A. M., conducted by the pastor; no evening service; Men's Bible Class 12:20 P. M.; Sunday School at 4:50 P. M.; Christian Endeavor at 8 P. M. Midweek prayer service Wednesday 8 P. M.

Winter Park Gardens—Rev. John M. Well, D. D., will preach at Chadbourn Memorial chapel at 8 o'clock Sunday evening.

Wrightsboro—Rev. Andrew J. Howell will preach at Lineker school house at 10:45 A. M.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. H. E. Beatty, pastor—Divine services Sunday 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Sunday School 10 A. M.; prayer meeting Wednesday 8 P. M. Public cordially invited.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church Rev. H. Wm. Koelling, pastor—Sabbath services at 11 A. M.; Sabbath School at 4 P. M.; W. C. E. Society at 8 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited. Seats free. Morning services conducted by Rev. H. Wm. Koelling. Young People's Society 8 P. M. Mr. Koelling expects to preach in East Wilmington Sunday afternoon.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church

Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church, having returned from his annual vacation spent in the North, will occupy his pulpit tomorrow morning and evening. The morning service begins at 11 o'clock and the evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 A. M.

Must Bring It With Them.

Thursday's Newbern Sun: "The Newbern cops will have a chance to take an excursion occasionally. One policeman is to be allowed to go to Wilmington each Sunday on the Coast Line train. It is too bad that excursionists cannot behave themselves on the Sabbath Day!"

PLUMP FOLKS AND THIN FOLKS.

Samose Will Make People Fat—"Money Back if It Fails" Says J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.

The line of beauty is a curve. Women may be thin and graceful, but not thin and beautiful. There is a vast number of pale, thin, scrawny people who are all brains and nerves, but without the strength and health that accompanies the standard weight. Good flesh and perfect health go together. A true flesh forming food like Samose is absolutely necessary to many people.

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Big Picnic In Duplin

The annual picnic will be held at East Wallace, W. B. Brice's Grove, August 22nd, 1912. Music and dancing. Some good speeches expected from Good Roads men, such as Dr. Jos. Hyde Pratt, H. B. Varner and others. Everybody cordially invited to attend and bring basket of refreshments.

TO ERECT NEW BUILDING.

Mr. Geo. W. Huggins Secures Permit for New Store Structure.

A building permit was issued to Mr. Geo. W. Huggins this week to erect at 105 Market street, the site of his present jewelry store and adjoining the new building of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., now in course of construction, a three-story brick and iron building, 16x40 feet in size, to cost about $5,000.

The building will be built alongside the bank building and one wall on the east side of that structure will be utilized for Mr. Huggins' building, thus necessitating the erection of only three walls. This accounts largely for the small cost of Mr. Huggins' building.

FALLS IN PARIS-BERLIN FLIGHT

Brindejong Des Moulinais Smashed Machine Against Tree

Attendorn, Prussia, August 8.—The aviator, Brindejong des Moluinais, who left Paris this morning for Berlin in an attempt to win the Pommery cup for the longest one-day flight, succeeded in reaching Attendorn, but smashed his aeroplane against a tree.

The aviator was not hurt. He experienced no difficulties in crossing the frontier.

Fireworks Monday,

August 12th, at the Beach, 9:00 P. M. **

MONEY FOR SCHOOL FUND.

Check for $6,511.99 Turned Over to County Treasurer Green.

Maj. W. N. Harriss, Clerk of the Superior Court, yesterday morning handed to Mr. H. McL. Green, county treasurer, a check for $6,511.99, representing fines imposed at the last term of Superior Court, most of them for violations of the prohibition law. The total amount goes to the school fund of New Hanover county.

The fines included in the amount and the defendants who paid them, are as follows: M. L. Starkey, $2,000; J. W. Capps, $1,250; J. E. Taylor, $1,000; J. L. Bolton, $1,000; J. O. Grimes, $600; J. H. Woebse, $500; David Ruben, $161.90. The latter is a fine imposed on Ruben for receiving stolen goods, knowing them to have been stolen.

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The C. W. Polvogt Co.,

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Ladies' Gingham Dresses Reduced.
Ladies' Lingerie Dresses Reduced.
Ladies' Blazer Coats Reduced.
Ladies' Crepe Kimonos Reduced.
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Ladies' Waists Reduced.

Reduced Prices on Trunks, Suit Cases and Bags.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. F. P. Davis and Mrs. J. H. Davis have returned after a visit to relatives and friends at Washington, D. C.

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Miss Laura Hanna and Dr. John C. Thomas, of Baltimore, and Mr. Geo. Cooke, of Charlottesville, Va., are the guests of the Misses Post at their home on Wrightsville Sound.

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Mr. H. F. Jones and sister, Miss Alma Jones, left yesterday afternoon to visit relatives and friends in Birmingham and Montgomery, Ala., and New Orleans, La. On their way home they will spend some time with relatives and friends at Moultrie, Ga.

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Yesterday's Charlotte News: "Miss Alice Davis, of Wilmington, who has been spending some time at Linville, as the guest of Mrs. Donald MacRae, will arrive in the city Monday and will be the guest for several days of Judge and Mrs. Platt D. Walker, on South Tryon street. Miss Davis is a niece of Judge Walker."

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Mr. R. L. Weaver, one of the most popular officials of the A. C. L., and family, are spending some time at Beasley Springs, near Benson, N. C. Mr. Weaver has been in rather poor health for several months and was advised by his physician to spend some time at this resort. His many friends will hope that his vacation will be of great benefit to him and that he will return to the city fully restored to health.

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FRATERNAL VISIT FROM NEWSPAPER WORKERS

The Star was favored yesterday with a call from Mrs. Joseph P. Caldwell and her charming little daughter, Miss Adelaide, of Charlotte. They are spending a while at the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, and came up to take a view of Wilmington. Mrs. Caldwell is the widow of the late and lamented Joseph P. Caldwell, one of the ablest editors North Carolina ever produced, and she is herself a newspaper woman of signal brilliancy and piquancy. As city editor of the Charlotte Evening News, Mrs. Caldwell demonstrates fine newspaper talent, and little Miss Caldwell is taking inherently to writing, although she says she confines her work to writing up "kid parties." The Star feels honored that they stopped in and made a fraternal visit that was greatly enjoyed.

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White Oak, N. C., Aug. 8.—On July 30th, there assembled at White Lake about 60 young people of White Oak and various other sections of the country and spent a delightful week fishing, bathing, dancing, sailing, etc. The party was composed of the following members: Misses Sudie, Mattie ,Lina and Kathleen Melvin, Betty Downing, Maggie, Robbie, Sudie and Maud McCulloch, Mary and Lucile Johnson, Louise Lucas, Messrs. R. P., J. A., Joslyn and R. T. Melvin, D. C. and N. C. McCulloch, C. T. and G. F. Johnson, Roy Council, Alex. Cogdell, Maxy Davis, Tom and Boyd DeVane, Bob Young, Pete McQueen and D. W. Downing, of White Oak; E. W. Tatum, Luther Ring and Louise Davis, Mt. Olive; John Shine, Faison; G. W. Register, Kerr; David Johnson, Polly and Allie Brown, Red Springs; Ethel Hollingsworth, Roseboro; Carrie McQueen, Fayetteville; Miss Hannah, Charlotte; K. M. C. Williamson, Wilmington; Prof. Howard, Mt. Holly; Dr. Ed Hollingsworth, Ivanhoe; Mary Jessup, Cedar Creek; Thomas Weston Young and Mattie Downing, Yorick; Nash Kinlaw, Coy Robinson and J. K. Dunham, and Blanche Hilburn, Rosindale.

RIVAL CLAIMS IN ROBESON.

Two Candidates Have Same Appointment—Rival Estimates of Crowds.

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Lumberton, N. C., Aug. 9.—Reports received at 10 o'clock indicate that there was something doing politically in East Lumberton tonight. One who announced himself as one of Mr. McNeill's supporters, gave your correspondent the following account of what occurred:

"Friends of Mr. T. A. McNeill, candidate for State Senate, met in the school auditorium at the Lumberton Cotton Mill to hear Mr. J. D. McLean and others speak. Mr. Geo. B. McLeod and a crowd of his friends went down and Mr. McLeod asked for a division of time, but Messrs. White and Gough and Supt. Webb refused to allow a division of time or allow Mr. McLeod to speak in the building, telling him that if he desired to speak to go to the woodshed. Mr. McLeod withdrew, followed by a big crowd who heard him speak.

"The McNeill man says he thought the crowd was about equally divided, but others say that by "actual count" only 23 were left in the hall while McLeod had at least 75 to hear him. Mr. McLeod said he got permission from Mr. R.D. Caldwell,president of the mill several days ago to speak in the school auditorium and that notice of the speaking had been given for their speaking tonight. A warm time is expected tomorrow, when the primary is held.

STUNG BY JACKETS.

Iredell County Farmer Seriously Injured in His Field.

Statesville, N. C., Aug. 9.—While at work alone in a field, Mr. Andy Upright, a farmer living some miles from Statesville, was attacked by yellow jackets and "stung" until he was unconscious. He was found in this terrible predicament and after being treated for the stings regained consciousness and told of his dreadful experience with the vicious little insects. He has now about recovered from the effects of the stings, but the horror of a yellow jacket will ever remain with him.

Charleston, S. C., August 9.—Eugene N. Alphonse, aged 24 years, for the past six years circulation manager of The Evening Post, died this morning of typhoid fever. He is survived by a widow and an infant son.

Atlantic Coast Line

Personal & other items from the general offices here.

Mr. Cliff C. Morris, of the Relief Department, returned Thursday from Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. E. S. Shubrick, of the Statistical Bureau, has returned to work after a short illness.

Mr. Milton Gore, of the Freight Traffic office, has left for a two-weeks stay in Hot Springs.

Mr. John Galloway has been transferred from the Claim Department to the Revising Bureau.

Mr. H. C. Prince, the comptroller, is spending several weeks at Blue Ridge Summit, Penn.

Mr. H. M. Turner, of the Freight Traffic Department, leaves today for Chester, S. C., to spend his vacation.

Messrs. James Wilson and Chauncey Delmar, of the Freight Traffic office, are attending the encampment at Fort Caswell.

Mr. Adolph Anderson Nissen, of the Freight Checking Bureau, leaves this afternoon for Columbia, S. C., to spend four or five days with relatives.

Mr. W. K. Mintz, of the Statistical Bureau, is rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at his home. Mrs. Mintz and the young statistician are reported as doing well.

Friends of Mr. Gene Orrell, of the Purchasing Department, will be pleased to learn that he is recovering rapidly from a serious attack of typhoid fever. Mr. Orrell is at the beach until he is able to resume his duties.

Mr. David Jones, of the Claim Checking Bureau, is at the James Walker Memorial Hospital where he recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. "Davy's" many friends will be pleased to learn that he is recovering rapidly and that his broad smile will soon adorn our corridors once more.

Mr. A. N. Hillburn has resigned his position in the Revising Bureau to go with the Ocilla Cotton Company, at Ocilla, Ga. Mr. Hillburn has been in the employe of the company for a number of years and was very popular with his fellow employes who will learn with regret that he is leaving and wish him great success in his new work. Mr. Hillburn left with his family yesterday afternoon for Ocilla.

A great deal of interest has been aroused over the effort to get the Tidewater Power Company to continue dancing at Lumina throughout September. It is generally understood that a petition will be presented to the management to this effect in a short time. In view of the fact that the management of the Seashore Hotel is endeavoring to have the season extended and that the majority of the patrons at Lumina are Coast Line employes it is likely that this matter will be given some consideration as it would undoubtedly be a paying proposition for the street railway company.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Miss A. R. Vaughn, of Hamlet, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Among last night's arrivals at The Orton was Mr. E. M. Nance, of Fair Bluff.

—Mr. James Owen Reilly has returned from a business trip to Baltimore.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were E. M. Canada, Raleigh; A. J. Davis, Jr., Henderson; D. W. Davis, Goldsboro, and W. E. Baldwin, Whiteville.

—Mr. Geo. J. Phares, of Jacksonville, Fla., is spending sometime in the city visiting friends and relatives and is being warmly greeted by his former acquaintances.

—Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Hon. Whitehead Kluttz passed through Raleigh yesterday, going to Goldsboro, where last night he addressed the Junior Order. He goes on to Fort Caswell while away."

—Among the arrivals yesterday at the Southern were W. G. Martin, Raleigh; Miss Elizabeth Wilson, Greenville, S. C.; J. L. McKoy, Whiteville; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hall, Atkinson; J. A. Brown, Rocky Mount; Chas. Walker, Charleston, S. C.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were P. B. Walker, Wilson; J. E. Porter, Weldon; E. M. Toon Whiteville; C. H. Whitlock, Maxton; Hugh Dudley, Newbern; W. A. Stilley, Goldsboro; D. A. Nance, Winston-Salem; W. E. Nance, Hallsboro; R. T. Stedman, Winston-Salem; W. E. Baldwin, Whiteville; J. F. Thompson, Greensboro.

YELLOWSTONE PARK

Guide Recently Published by Interior Department

Washington, D. C., August 9.—The various methods of seeing the wonders of Yellowstone Park are fully described in a comprehensive circular on that great reservation just issued by the Department of Interior entitled, "General Information Regarding the Yellowstone National Park." This circular gives full information regarding the hotels, the permanent camps, and the movable camps that are operated for the accommodation of visitors. The terraces, geysers, hot springs, Yellowstone Lake, and the Grand Canyon may all be seen on a circuit of 143 miles that require 5 1-2 days travel by coach. Full data are given regarding the distances between all the principal points of interest and there is detailed information regarding side trips, opportunities for fishing, and the best camping places.

During the season of 1911 over 3,000 of the visitors to the park traveled in their own specially hired conveyance, coming and going as they desired and making their camps at any convenient point. This circular, which may be obtained free from the Department of the Interior, contains a tourist map of the park, maps of the geyser basins, lists of books and magazine articles, as well as the regulations in force for the protection of the natural curiosities, the game, and the forests.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Attention is called to the advertisement of Dr. Lillian Creese, chiropractic physician and nerve specialist, who has opened an office at No. 304 South Second street. She makes a specialty of women's and children's diseases and consultations are given free.

—Mamie L. Little, the white woman wanted in Superior Court here on a charge of bigamy, and who was arrested in Pender county, brought to this city and placed in jail Thursday, in default of $200 bond, was released yesterday, having been able to raise the necessary amount. C. H. Batson is surety.

—Suit was started yesterday afternoon in Superior Court by Armour & Co., against Mr. D. M. Davis, trading as the Pure Food Market. Jno. D. Bellamy & Son represent the plaintiff. While the complaint has not been filed yet, it is understood that the action is brought to recover about $700 said to be in controversy on account.

—The Star was in error yesterday morning in stating that the police, in searching the place of Mr. W. F. Richter, in the basement of The Orton Hotel Monday night, found several quarts of whiskey. It was learned yesterday that no whiskey at all was found there and only a few bottles of beer, which, it was said, Mr. Richter kept out for his own use. The correction is gladly made in justice to Mr. Richter.

CAN'T JOIN FATHER

Little Feeble-minded Alien Is Ordered Deported

Washington, August 9.—Little 9-year-old Stanley Stewart and his mother, of England, appealing for permission to cross the threshold of the United States to join other members of their family and become American citizens, were ordered deported today.

A special medical board at Quebec pronounced the little fellow feeble-minded—an insuperable legal bar to his admission. The mother must return to England with him as an accompanying alien, but three other children were admitted to go to their father at Omaha, Neb.

Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, made the thousand-mile trip from Washington to Quebec to see if this sundering of family ties could be prevented. He is said to be satisfied that no other course was open.

There is yet one way, it was pointed out, that the boy might be admitted. Should the father become an American citizen as he intends to do, that act, Secretary Nagel holds, would confer citizenship upon all his minor children whether in this country or abroad. The child could then enter as an American citizen.

—Mr. John F. Courcier, of Toledo, Ohio, secretary of the National Grain Dealers' Association, is in the city for a few days on business.

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET DEMORALIZED

Unsettled During Early Trading, But After Making New Low Records for the Movement Recovered Part of Loss.

New York, Aug. 9.—The cotton market continued very weak and unsettled during today's early trading, but after making new low records for the movement, recovered part of the loss, with the close very steady at a net decline of 9@11 points. The market opened barely steady, at a decline of 1 to 3 points, in sympathy with lower cables. Many of the traders on the floor were talking the probability of a reaction before business started, but right after the call the market turned very weak under renewed liquidation, selling by spot houses, and increased offerings from the South. Rumors that one of the leading trade interests had sent out wires late yesterday, advising friends both in this country and Europe to sell cotton, added to the confusion of sentiment and with leading spot brokers free sellers around the ring, the market for a time appeared to be bordering on demoralization. At any rate, December sold off to 11.82, or 22 to 23 points under the closing figures of last night, and very nearly 150 points under the high records of last week. At this level covering was active enough to check the decline, and the market rallied 10 or 12 points from the lowest in the late trading, on realizing by recent sellers for over the week-end and operations for a reaction. The latter buying was probably encouraged by the fact that reports are now coming in of excessive rainfall in some Eastern and Central sections of the belt, but according to floor gossip, the market today appeared to be paying less attention to weather and crop news than to rumors that important trade interests were bearish on the situation and that contracts bought as a hedge against future mill requirements were, in some cases, being liquidated. Week-end figures were considered moderately bullish, as, with three weeks remaining in the season, spinners taking now foot up 14,904,000 bales, but were not mentioned as a factor on the late rally.

Receipts, 2,910, against 1,061 last week, and 4,017 last year. Today's receipts at Galveston, 1,293, against 2,964 last years at New Orleans, 119, against 756 last year, and at Houston, 2,276, against 5,340 last year.

Spot, quiet. Middling uplands, 12.30; do. gulf, 12.55; sales, 466 bales.

Futures closed very steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	11.95	11.96	11.75	11.89
Feb	12.00	.....	.....	11.93
Mar	12.05	12.06	11.87	12.01
May	12.11	12.12	11.96	12.10
Aug	11.77	11.80	11.64	11.73
Sept	11.84	11.72	11.70	11.77
Oct	11.97	11.98	11.76	11.89
Nov	11.95	.....	.....	11.91
Dec	12.00	12.02	11.82	11.96

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 12⅞; net receipts, 1,293; gross receipts, 1,293; sales, 214; stock, 22,378; coastwise, 678.

New Orleans—Easy, 12½; net receipts, 119; gross receipts, 326; sales, 140; stock, 25,945; coastwise, 406.

Mobile—Net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; stock, 2,070; coastwise, 5.

Savannah—Quiet and steady, 12⅛; net receipts, 50; gross receipts, 50; stock, 17,031; continent, 1,798; coastwise, 283.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 3,900.

Wilmington—Nominal; sales, 14; stock, 259.

Norfolk—Quiet, 13; net receipts, 28; gross receipts, 28; sales, 25; stock, 14,775; coastwise, 64.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12⅞; net receipts, 433; gross receipts, 1,433; stock, 3,340; continent, 2,075.

New York—Quiet, 12.30; gross receipts, 104; sales, 468; stock, 118,540; coastwise, 35.

Boston—Quiet, 12.30; net receipts, 19; gross receipts, 19; stock, 3,825; Great Britain, 350.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.55; gross receipts, 100; stock, 708; continent, 100.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 100; gross receipts, 100; stock, 4; coastwise, 100.

Newport News—Net receipts, 867; gross receipts, 867; coastwise, 867.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 2,910; Great Britain, 350; continent, 4,173; stock, 313,841.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 9,929; Great Britain, 4,447; France, 1,113; continent, 8,013.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 11,859,805; Great Britain, 9,149,476; France, 1,162,779; continent, 4,456,600; Japan, 512,196; Mexico, 8,961.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12 11-16; net receipts, 2,276; gross receipts, 2,276; shipments, 2,978; sales, 7,505; stock, 18,505.

Augusta—Quiet, 13¼; net receipts, 76; gross receipts, 96; shipments, 470; sales, 217; stock, 19,470.

Memphis—Nominal, 12¾; net receipts, 288; gross receipts, 440; shipments, 204; sales, 50; stock, 8,631.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12⅞; net receipts, 27; gross receipts, 86; shipments, 288; stock, 4,711.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 145; gross receipts, 145; shipments, 204; stock, 22,337.

Little Rock—Quiet, 11½; net receipts, 2; gross receipts, 2; shipments, 18; stock, 3,526.

Louisville—Firm, 13; net receipts, 45; gross receipts, 45; shipments, 10; sales, 30; stock, 35.

Total today—Net receipts, 2,859; gross receipts, 3,090; shipments, 4,170; sales, 7,802; stock, 77,215.

VISIBLE COTTON SUPPLY.

Shown by Secretary Hester's Statement to be 2,297,675 Bales.

New Orleans, Aug. 9.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 2,297,675 bales against 2,485,472 last week and 1,625,163 last year. Of this the total American cotton is 1,438,875 against 1,597,492 last week and 732,163 last year, and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 859,000 bales against 898,000 last week and 893,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 7,467,000 against 886,000 last year; in Egypt 44,000 against 65,000 last year; in India 496,000 against 463,000 last year, and in the United States 291,000 against 211,000 last year.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET

Liverpool, August 9.—Spot in fair demand; prices 13 points lower; American middling fair, 7.74; good middling 7.34; middling 6.96; low middling 6.72; good ordinary 6.24; ordinary 5.76. Sales 10,000 bales, including 9,000 American. Receipts 1,000 including 800 American.

Futures opened easy and closed easy. August 6.67; August and Sept. 6.59 1-2; Sept. and Oct. 6.49; Oct. and Nov. 6.43 1-2; Nov. and Dec. 6.38; Dec. and Jan. 6.37 1-2; Jan. and Feb. 6.38; Feb. and March 6.38 1-2; March and April 6.39 1-2; April and May 6.40; May and June 6.41; June and July 6.40 1-2; July and Aug. 6.39 1-2.

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THE WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW

Reports of Daily Rains Had Depressing Effect on Market, Which Has Shown Little Recuperative Power.

New York, Aug. 9.—Reports of daily rains in many parts of Texas have had a depressing effect and the market displays little recuperative power, despite the fact that the decline from the high level has been severe. The Texas rains, according to official reports, have in many instances ranged from 1 to 3 inches, and there is a general impression that the crop prospects in that State are very much more favorable than they were a while ago. Temperatures, moreover, have fallen. Beneficial rains have also occurred in Oklahoma and Arkansas. The reports from some parts of the region east of the Mississippi have been very favorable. The foreign news has been of a rather bearish tinge. Manchester has continued quiet. The Liverpool spot sales have been light, ranging most of the time from 6,000 to 8,000 bales a day, while the action of futures there at times has been disappointing. Liverpool, which was recently a good buyer, has of late been a rather free seller here. Increased selling has been noted by the South on hedges, and a further increase in selling of this character is expected in the near future. Many reports have been received from Texas of the arrival of first bales of new cotton. The size of the crop movement, it is believed, will become a more important factor before long. Prominent local spot firms have sold freely at times. Room traders have sold for short account on the more favorable crop reports, especially from Texas, where in the opinion of some members of the trade, the indications now point to a record-breaking yield. Longs at the South, the West and in Wall Street have liquidated. At times, prices have rallied temporarily. Some bullish crop reports have been received from various sections. It is insisted in some dispatches and letters that the recent dry weather with high temperatures caused serious injury to the plant in Texas. Such reports have also appeared in Texas newspapers. Complaints of damage from army worms have been received from parts of the Eastern belt. The spot markets have, as a rule, been steady. The movement of new cotton, though larger than recently, is much smaller than at this time last year. Commission houses have purchased at times in expectation of at least a temporary upturn after the recent sharp decline and heavy liquidation. Philadelphia spot interests have also purchased. There has been more or less covering of shorts. Rallies in prices, however, have been feeble, and today the market again weakened on further heavy rains in the Southwest, improved crop reports, bearish pressure and long liquidation.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Aug. 9.—Flour, moderately active.
Rye Flour—Quiet.
Corn Meal—Steady.
Rye—Steady.
Barley—Quiet.
Wheat—Spot, easy. No. 2, red, new, 107 c.i.f. track and 1.08¼ f.o.b. afloat to arrive. Futures, ¾ to ⅝c. net lower. September, 100 15-16; December, 1.00 11-16.
Corn—Spot, easy; export, 82½c. f.o.b. afloat.
Oats—Spot, steady; new standard, white, and No. 2, 60½ on track.
Pork—Steady.
Beef—Strong.
Cut Meats—Firm.
Lard—Firm.
Tallow—Steady.
Petroleum—Steady.
Wool—Quiet.
Rice—Steady.
Molasses—Quiet.
Sugar—Raw, steady; refined, steady.
Butter—Steady.
Cheese—Firm.
Eggs—Firm.
Coffee—Rio, No. 7, 14¼. Futures, steady. September, 12.82; March, 13.05.
Potatoes — Weak; Southern, 1.25@2.25; Southern sweets, barrel, 2.00@3.50.
Cabbages — Easy; Southern, 50@60c. crate.
Peanuts—Unchanged.
Freights—Steady.
Cotton Seed Oil—Fairly active, with prices easier under renewed liquidation, induced by favorable crop and weather conditions, the weakness in cotton and lack of outside support. Futures closed 3@11 points net lower. Sales aggregated 17,700 barrels; August, 6.36@6.38; September, 6.38@6.40; October, 6.46@6.48; November, 6.25@6.26; December, 6.15@6.17. Prime crude, nominal; do. Summer, yellow, 6.33@6.41; do. Winter yellow, 6.50@7.25; prime Summer white, 6.50@7.25.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, Aug. 9.—For the week ending Friday, August 9, 1912:
Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week, 9,629.
Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year, 20,266.
Total receipts since September 1st, 11,859,805.
Total receipts to same date last year, 8,500,987.
Exports for the week, 13,573.
Exports for same week last year, 13,273.
Total exports since September 1st, 10,289,721.
Total exports same date last year, 7,378,447.
Stock at all United States ports, 212,841.
Stock at all United States ports same time last year, 130,303.
Stock at all interior towns, 78,760.
Stock at all interior towns same time last year, 83,099.
Stock at Liverpool, 724,000.
Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 501,000.
Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year, 5,000.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Government figures today on the total yield of wheat in the United States this season turned out to have been correctly estimated beforehand by speculators here. The market, which was largely of a waiting character, finished steady, ¼ to ⅝c. under last night.
Corn closed a shade to ¼c. down; oats, varying from ¼@⅝c. lower to ¼ rise, and provisions at 2½ to 12½ advance.
Cash grain:
Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.02@1.05; No. 2, hard, 94@96.
Corn—No. 3, 73¾@74; No. 3, yellow, 75¾@76¼.
Oats—No. 3, white, new, 32¼@34. Standard, old, 40@43½; new, 33@38½.
Wheat—Sept., 92¾; Dec., 92¾; May, 96½.
Corn—Sept., 68¼; Dec., 55; May, 54¾@54⅞.
Oats—Sept., 31⅝@31½; Dec., 32⅝@32½; May, 34⅝.
Pork—Sept., 17.85; Oct., 17.85; Jan., 18.37½.
Lard—Sept., 10.60; Oct., 10.67½@10.70; Dec., 10.42½; Jan., 10.42½.
Ribs—Sept., 10.62½; Oct., 10.60; Jan., 9.70.

Indian Killed on Track.

Near Rochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often it's that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat or lung trouble. "It completely cured me, in a short time of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of grip," writes J. R. Watts, Floydada, Tex., "and I regained 15 pounds in weight that I had lost." Quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

LITTLE TRADING IN STOCKS

Stocks Marked Time Until Publication of Crop Report in the Afternoon—Highest Level Reached at Close.

New York, Aug. 9.—Until the final hour when the government crop report was issued, today's stock market consisted of little more than a series of narrow advances and declines, the exceptions being the highern priced specialities, the Canadia group of railroads and those traversing the Southern States.

There was much less trading than in the preceding days of the week, with frequent periods of extreme inertia. Traders seemed bearishly inclined, but evinced no desire to test the market, save in a tentative way. Public interest, especially as represented by the investor, continued negligible, as was shown in the heavier tendency of the four per cent. bond issues. Although the government crop report was a favorable one, showing improvement in the condition of corn and indicating bumper yields of Spring wheat and oats, prices hesitated after the publication, but soon recovered and in the final dealings the highest level of the day was attained by leading issues, with an active and strong close.

Local monetary conditions pointed to increased ease, as seen in the shading of rates for long time accommodations. The banks are expected to make a large cash gain in their dealings, with the local subtreasury and interior points.

The trend of bond prices was lower on moderate dealings. Total sales, par value, aggregated $1,407,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today were, 332,700 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	82⅝
American Agricultural	58
American Beet Sugar	70⅜
American Can	40⅝
American Can, pfd	119¼
American Car and Foundry	59
American Cotton Oil	53½
American Ice Securities	25⅝
American Linseed	13½
American Locomotive	43½
American Smelting and Refining	83⅜
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	108¾
American Sugar Refining	127½
American Tel and Tel	145⅞
American Tobacco	305
Anaconda Mining Co	41¼
Atchison	108⅜
Atchison, pfd	102⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	144
Baltimore and Ohio	107¾
Bethlehem Steel	38
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	92⅝
Canadian Pacific	277¼
Central Leather	27⅝
Chesapeake and Ohio	81
Chicago Great Western	17¼
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	108⅞
Chicago and North Western	141½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	30¼
Consolidated Gas	147
Corn Products	14¾
Delaware and Hudson	168⅝
Denver and Rio Grande	19¼
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	35½
Distillers' Securities	32½
Erie	36⅛
Erie, 1st pfd	54
Erie, 2nd pfd	43¼
General Electric	181⅝
Great Northern, pfd	142⅞
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	43½
Illinois Central	131½
Interborough-Met	26⅝
Interborough-Met., pfd	60⅞
Inter-Harvester	123¼
Inter-Marine, pfd	18
International Paper	15½
International Pump	26½
Kansas City Southern	26¾
Laclede Gas	106¼
Lehigh Valley	172¼
Louisville and Nashville	163¼
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	152
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	27⅞
Missouri Pacific	37⅜
National Biscuit	135½
National Lead	59
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30½
New York Central	117¼
New York, Ontario and Western	32⅛
Norfolk and Western	118
North American	83
Northern Pacific	129⅞
Pacific Mail	32⅜
Pennsylvania	123½
People's Gas	117⅝
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	100½
Pittsburg Coal	22⅛
Pressed Steel Car	36
Pullman Palace Car	161
Reading	171½
Republic Iron and Steel	28
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	88¼
Rock Island Co	26
Rock Island Co., pfd	51½
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	35
Seaboard Air Line	23½
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	53¾
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	56
Southern Pacific	111⅜
Southern Railway	29⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	79¼
Tennessee Copper	41⅞
Texas and Pacific	22½
Union Pacific	172½
Union Pacific, pfd	90¼
United States Realty	83⅜
United States Rubber	51¼
United States Steel	71⅞
United States Steel, pfd	112½
Utah Copper	61⅞
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	48¼
Wabash	4¼
Wabash, pfd	14
Western Maryland	58
Western Union	81¾
Westinghouse Electric	88½
Wheeling and Lake Erie	6

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, Aug. 9.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	3,513,577
New Orleans	1,654,315
Mobile	383,595
Savannah	2,377,517
Charleston	414,856
Wilmington	548,573
Norfolk	755,496
Baltimore	120,693
New York	6,960
Boston	62,914
Newport News	34,658
Philadelphia	1,026
San Francisco	212,278
Brunswick	430,378
Port Townsend	215,793
Pensacola	215,534
Port Arthur	199,787
Jacksonville	50,418
Laredo, Tex	4,582
Georgetown	1,129
Gulfport	65,294
Texas City	380,408
Minor Ports	3,424
Total bales	11,859,805

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Aug. 9.—Turpentine, weak. Rosin, steady.

Savannah, Aug. 9.—Turpentine, firm, at 40@40½. Sales, 1,375; receipts, 750; shipments, 516; stocks, 37,139.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,093; receipts, 2,960; shipments, 7,834; stock, 111,175. Quote: B, 6.35@6.40; D, 6.40; E, 6.45@6.50; F, 6.55; G, 6.57½@6.60; H, 6.00@6.65; I, 6.62½@6.70; K, 6.85@6.90; M, 6.85@7.00; N, 7.10@7.20; W G, 7.40; W W, 7.70.

Charleston, Aug. 9.—Turpentine, firm, at 41c.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 6.40; D, 6.45; E, 6.50@6.65; F, 6.55@6.65; G, 6.60@6.65; H, 6.65@6.70; I, 6.70@6.75; K, 6.80@6.90; M, 6.90@7.10; N, 7.00@7.25; W G, 7.35; W W, 7.70@7.75.

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Steamers.

Str. Gamma (Ger.), 1,433 tons, Hotoff, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Edward R. Baird, Jr., 238 tons, Colbourn, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Benjamin F. Poole, 1,099 tons, Williams, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons, Colbourn, Maffitt & Wood.

Stephen G. Loud, 400 tons, Graham, Maffitt & Wood; in distress.

Greenleaf Johnson, 322 tons, Longstreet, Maffitt & Wood.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 9.

Atlantic Coast Line—37 casks spirits turpentine; 80 barrels rosin; 12 barrels tar.

Schr. C. D. Maffitt—5 casks spirits turpentine; 18 barrels rosin.

Str. Whitlock—3 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin.

Total—45 casks spirits turpentine; 122 barrels rosin; 12 barrels tar.

WILMINGTON MARKETS

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 9.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady at 40.

ROSIN—Firm, $6.20 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.10 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.75 for dip; $4.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 49¼; rosin, $5.00; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine, $2.90 for hard, $4.40 for dip, $4.40 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	45
Rosin	122
Tar	12
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year, 77 casks spirits turpentine; 285 barrels rosin; 13 barrels tar; 81 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.
Same day last year—Nothing doing.
Receipts—None; same day last year, none.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 9.)
CORN—Firm; $1.05 per bu.
PEAS—White, no sales. Mixed, $1.00.
POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 95c. per bu.
BEEF—On foot, good demand, 3@4c. per lb.; dressed, 8c.
PORK—Small, 10@11c.
WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 18c. per lb.
HIDES—Green, 8 to 8½c. per lb.; dry, 13 to 15c. per lb.
NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17 to 18c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13c. per lb.
BEESWAX—Firm; 27@28c. per lb.
TALLOW—Firm; 4¼ to 5c. per lb.
POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 40 to 45c. per head; chickens, Spring, 15c. to 30c. per head.
SHEEP—Old, $1.00@$2.50; lambs, $1.00@$3.00.
EGGS—Very dull, 18 to 19c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)
Wilmington, Aug. 7.
Market—Nothing doing.
North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, 70@75c.; machine-picked, 65@70c.
Spanish—Prime hand picked, $1.00; machine picked, 95c.
Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine picked, 80c.

DUN'S TRADE REVIEW

Trading Shows Steady Expansion—Activity In Steel Business

New York, August 9.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

The expansion in iron and steel continues with activity, especially marked in finished lines and with additional price advances. Increasing difficulty is experienced in obtaining prompt deliveries, and in some instances large premiums are being paid. Plate mills are crowded with orders, while prominent rail manufacturers are booked up to next February.

Trading in the dry goods markets shows steady expansion, numerous buyers being present and operating with considerably more freedom. In woolens and worsteds the staple dress goods trade is active at first hands and jobbers report a better business than for some time. Large orders for storm serges have been booked; cotton warp fabrics are being bought freely, and broadcloths are in better demand. Spring lines have been opened and advances are noted, ranging from 7 to 9 per cent.

Footwear manufacturers are busily engaged preparing shipments for August and September delivery. Mail orders are received in liberal volume and buyers are apparently becoming more reconciled to the higher prices.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET

New York, August 9.—Money on call steady, 2 1-2 to 2 3-4; ruling rate 2 3-4. Time loans easier, sixty days 3 1-2; six months 4 3-4. Prime mercantile paper 5 to 5 14. Sterling exchange firm, 4.8475 for sixty day bills, 4.8725 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 9.—The cotton goods markets were more quiet for the day. Wide print cloths showed some easing. Local wool markets are very firm, with offerings light. Cotton yarns are steady. The jobbers report a steady trade.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.
Aug. 10, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:
Temperature at 8 A. M., 78 degrees; at 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 86 degrees; minimum, 70 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.
Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month to date, .17.
Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 1.9 feet.

Weather Forecast.
For North Carolina — Local thunder showers Saturday and probably Sunday.

Port Calendar—Aug. 10.

Sun rises	5:30 A. M.
Sun sets	7:05 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 35 min.

	Tides. High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	7:14	7:58	2:17	1:42
Southport	5:02	5:40	11:17	.....
Masonboro Inlet	4:33	5:11	10:48	.....

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

August 9, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	pt cldy	70	68	.0
Asheville	clear	78	62	.24
Atlanta	raining	84	68	1.16
Augusta	pt cldy	84	68	1.92
Birmingham	cloudy	84	70	.56
Boston	cloudy	80	62	.0
Charleston	raining	86	74	.08
Charlotte	cloudy	84	68	.0
Chicago	raining	74	66	1.24
Galveston	pt cldy	88	82	.0
Jacksonville	clear	92	74	.0
Memphis	clear	76	66	.44
Mobile	cloudy	88	68	.06
Montgomery	raining	90	68	1.04
New Orleans	pt cldy	92	80	.0
New York	cloudy	74	66	.0
Oklahoma	clear	82	62	.12
Pittsburg	cloudy	82	68	.06
Raleigh	pt cldy	86	70	.78
Savannah	clear	90	72	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	78	66	5.08
St. Louis	pt cldy	78	68	.02
Washington	pt cldy	82	72	.14

$200,000,000 MORTGAGE FILED.

St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway Incurs Debt.

St. Louis, Aug. 9.—A $200,000,000 mortgage, secured by 40-year gold bonds bearing not more than 6 per cent. interest, was filed today by the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway Company. The mortgage is to the Union Trust Company, of New York and B. F. Edwards, of St. Louis, as trustee for the bondholders. The mortgage covers all the rolling stock and other physical property of the road.

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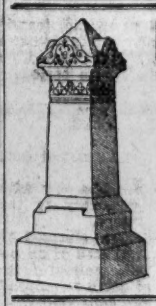
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Washington, Aug. 9.—More than half a million dollars of old paper money, washed and ironed to the crispness of new in the Federal government's currency laundry, will be placed in circulation tomorrow.

This lot will represent Uncle Sam's first job as a laundryman. For weeks the Treasury Department has been cleaning and reviving dirty old notes by the washing machine perfected in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. Secretary MacVeagh today stamped the venture a success and the laundry will be run in full swing from now on.

All unclean bills which are not practically worn out, will be washed, ironed and redistributed. The first batch of notes will be sent to sub-treasuries and paid out to banks in the Middle West.

The Treasury Department has ordered three more washing machines. Within a few months it is expected that every sub-treasury will be equipped with a laundry and the government expects to save hundreds of thousands of dollars annually.

ROBBERY AT DURHAM.

Woman in Bull City Relieved of $1,700. In a Trunk.

Durham, Aug. 9.—A robbery of $1,700 in cash from Mrs. Hawkins Hicks was reported to the county officers yesterday morning. According to the reports given the sheriff and his deputies some one entered the house of the old woman who lived in Hickstown, west of the city, and took a trunk containing her money from one of the rooms early this morning. The robbers took the trunk into a nearby field and rifled it of the valuables and the money. Mrs. Hicks is a very old woman, half blind and half crazy. She was known to have a lot of money, and was a miser. Her husband, who died many years ago, left her a farm near the city which has become a very valuable lot of land with the growth of the city.

She has recently sold off a part of her land, receiving $15,000 for it. Her bank book, which was in the trunk robbed, was found near the trunk, and it showed a balance of about $20,000 in the bank. The robbers did not attempt to bother this.

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CHANGE

Conn Goes With Lambe—Campaign Against Rats

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 7.—Dixon V. Conn, general agent for the Norfolk Southern Railroad here, has resigned to go with President E. T. Lambe to the Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic Railroad, taking a responsible position with Mr. Lambe in his re-organization of the railroad. Chas. W. Upchurch, a Raleigh boy, next in line of promotion, succeeds Mr. Conn here.

The campaign in Raleigh against rats opened up this morning with a right good will, large numbers of the creatures being brought to the city lot by the very many boys who have entered the contests. The first prize is $16 for the most rats; the second $8, and the third $5 with a special prize of $2 for the largest rat. The prize money has been gotten together for the purpose by Superintendent R. S. Stephenson, of the Associates Charities. The huge wharf rats have defied cats here and have taken to killing chickens as large as good frying size.

SCOTLAND MAN DEAD.

Mr. T. M. Watson, of Wagram, Passes Away in Charlotte.

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 9.—Mr. T. M. Watson, of Wagram, Scotland county, died at the Charlotte Sanatorium this morning at 5:30 o'clock after a three-weeks' illness. Mr. Watson was in his 77th year and had been in feeble health for two years or more. The deceased was one of the most prominent citizens in Eastern Carolina. For a long time he took an active part in politics, having served his county a number of times in the State Legislature. The deceased is survived by four children: Messrs. D. A. and John Watson and Misses Mary and Mattie Watson all of whom resided in Wagram. Mrs. Watson died many years ago. Mr. D. A. Watson is a brother-in-law of the late John Charles McNeill. Miss Mary Watson accompanied her father to Charlotte and was with him when he died. The remains will be taken to Laurinburg this afternoon by Mr. D. A. Watson and the funeral will take place at Wagram some time Sunday.

MOSQUITO BALM.

Jersey Extermination Commission Makes Valuable Discovery.

East Orange, N. J., Aug. 9.—The Essex county mosquito extermination commission is preparing to start the cultivation of a plant called occimum viride, which is said to be abhorent to mosquitoes. According to the committeemen a mere sprig of the plant will banish all mosquitoes from a room or porch. The plant is believed not to be harmful to human beings.

CARRIED TO RALEIGH.

Benjamin Vann Taken From Jail in Portsmouth.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 9.—Benjamin Vann, charged with the murder of a young boy, Oliver Layden, at Belvidere, N. C., today was taken to Raleigh from the Portsmouth jail, whither he had been brought for safe keeping. Sheriff Reid started with him last night, but when they boarded the train four brothers of the dead boy were aboard and Vann begged to be taken back to jail. The sheriff deferred the trip until today.

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C. D. Gilbert—Must be Sold Today.

BEATS 'EM TO A FRAZZLE.

Some Farming by Mr. J. E. Bryan, of Horry County, S. C.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Conway, S. C., Aug. 9.—Speaking of Capt. Drake, of Marlboro, and Jerry Moore, of Florence, our Mr. J. E. Bryan, of Horry, has beaten both of these gentlemen to a frazzle when it comes to making a money making crop. This year Mr. Bryan made for the Burroughs & Collins Company on 112 acres of their land at Myrtle Beach 5,200 barrels of Irish potatoes and will harvest 6,720 bushels of corn, making a clear profit of $14,224, or $126.78 per acre.

These figures sound fabulous, you say. They look more fabulous when you have seen the crops. No doubt when the facts are known this unusual yield will be without parallel in the United States if not in the world. The 112 acres spoken of were planted in Irish potatoes this Winter and produced 5,200 barrels altogether. Between the rows were planted corn in the Spring, which is now tall, green and full of life. A most safe estimate would place the production at 60 bushels per acre, and the chances are it will produce 75. The crop of potatoes sold for $17,480. The expenses of this crop including fertilizer, seed, labor, dingging, hauling and barrels amounted to $7,200, leaving a net profit of $10,280. The estimated value of the corn crop placing corn at the low price of 75 cents per bushel, had the ordinary yield of 60 bushels per acre, $5,040. The cost of planting the corn in the potatoes and the estimated cost of gathering, shelling, and sacking at 12 1-2 cents per bushel, is $806. This leaves an estimated profit of $3,064. The total net profit of both crops is $14,224.

With such a yield as this Horry county now stands in the vanguard of the State, and South Carolina is in the forefront of the Nation when it comes to trucking. Her lands are now considered by experts to be the best suited for trucking of any district in the United States. She produces the Klondike strawberry, which is considered on the Northern markets to be the finest in the world.

The farm on which the corn and potato crops were grown contains 600 acres. It is situated on the Conway Coast & Western Railroad, and one mile from Myrtle Beach, one of the most famous Summer resorts in the South. In the entire tract there are 5,000 acres owned by the Burroughs & Collins Company. The soil is sandy loam underlaid with good clay subsoil. It is what may be termed swamp land and was cleared at a cost of about $40 per acre. The character of the soil of the major part of this large tract resembled closely the 112 acres and when brought up to a high state of cultivation will no doubt make the same record breaking yields.

Mr. J. E. Bryan, who has charge of this farm, is vice president of the Burroughs & Collins Company, which corporation owns more than 100,000 acres of land in the county. Mr. Bryan is a most skilful and scientific farmer, a hard worker, an excellent manager, and a thorough gentleman in every sense of the word. While the land on which he has produced these unusual yields contains soil of the first order, it has taken him three years of experimenting and working to bring the land up to this high state of cultivation. What many thought to be a vast wilderness he has transformed into a veritable garden spot and has made it blossom into a thing of beauty and profit. He has studied every foot of soil in this farm and knows just what kinds of fertilizer to make it most responsive under certain conditions. Such an ideal farm in this county will work untold benefits to a large per cent. of our farmers who are just coming into their own.

JOHNSON AGREES TO FIGHT

If Certain Conditions Are Complied With—Jack Is Willing

Chicago, August 9.—Alderman Al Tearney tonight said that Jack Johnson had agreed to fight Sam Langford and Sam McVey in Australia under certain conditions as yet not complied with by Promoter W. H. McIntosh.

"Johnson told representatives of McIntosh that their offer of $40,000 for fights with Langford and McVey would be acceptable to him provided he were given $5,000 for training expenses and three round-trip tickets to Australia and provided that $10,000 was deposited with me." Tearney said:

"He chose me as stakeholder because I had guided him in business investments. I have no connection with promoting the fights other than that of stakeholder.

"After Johnson had issued his ultimatum McIntosh's representatives came to me for references. That is the last I heard of the proposition."

Johnson refused to affirm the report that he would re-enter the ring. He said he would fight if it would be a "personal favor to Tearney."

FALLS SIX STORIES; UNHURT

Another Boy, Tumbling After Him, Seriously Injured

New York, August 8. — Reuben Glickfield, 4 years old, flying a kite on the roof of a six-story tenement building in the East Side, plunged through an airshaft to the basement today.

In his descent Reuben carried with him several hundred feet of clothesline and the accumulated laundry of a score of families hung in the airshaft.

When Repuben was unwrapped from the plethoric bundle he was breathless, but unhurt.

Abraham Levy, 4 years old, leaned too far out of a window to investigate and fell. As Reuben had cleaned up the washing, Abraham was seriously hurt.

COW WITH A JAG.

Bossy Eats Fermented Corn and Gets on a Spree.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The cow with a jag is the latest discovery by the Department of Agriculture.

A Virginia husbandman, alarmed by the indecorous performances of an ordinarily perfectly mild animal after munching a ration of ensilage, appealed to the sharps of the department.

Investigation revealed that Bossy had feasted on fermented cornstalks and had simply gotten drunk on raw bourbon whiskey—that was all.

That millionaire policeman who was accused by his wife may have slept on his beat instead of sleeping at home.

PERKINS AND TRUSTS

Roosevelt and His Relation to Big Business

(By Clyde H. Tavenner).

Washington, August 9.—"George W. Perkins in chair." This quotation does not refer to Mr. Perkins' presence in the chair at the Chicago Moosefelt convention.

The quotation is taken from the minutes of a meeting of the finance committee of the steel trust held April 5th, 1904, at which it was decided that subsidiary companies of the steel trust manufacturing half-finished articles should not sell same to competitors of the trust.(See page 108, Stanley Steel report).

This is only one of the revelations contained in the report of the Stanley Steel Trust Investigating Committee, one of the most able and remarkable documents of this decade.

The Stanley report, in addition to indicting former President Roosevelt for permitting the trust to obtain absolute domination of the steel industry, reveals beyond successful contradiction how George W. Perkins came into possession of the colossal fortune that he is now spending to finance the Roosevelt third term movement.

Here is the story of the Perkins wealth: To start with Mr. Perkins made some of his millions by capitalizing thin blue air into millions of dollars of real money.

He made more millions by getting a monopoly of wire nail manufacturing plants and forcing the American farmers to pay $3.20 a keg for wire nails that were sold before the organization of the trust for from $1.25 to $1.50 a keg. (See page 8, Stanley report).

Then he made more millions by forcing the thousands of workers in the blast furnace of his steel mills to work twelve hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year.

As a postscript to the above information, the following history of Mr. Perkins may be of interest to many at this time:

Mr. Perkins was the chief aide and co-schemer of J. Pierpont Morgan while the latter was in the years between 1910 and 1911 throttling business in every direction. It was Perkins who as Morgan's business partner showed Morgan how to dominate the boards of directors of all the great railroads, banks and trust companies, express, telephone and telegraph companies, steamship lines, insurance companies and all the great industrial trusts, to the end that Morgan now has a strangle-hold on a corporate wealth of over $35,000,000,000, an amount equal to one-third of the wealth of the nation.

TEDDY IS RESTING.

Will Take Up Campaigning in a Week. Won't Rest Then.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 9.—For one week Col. Roosevelt is going to forget politics if he can and take a rest. When that week is over he will take up the fight again to carry it on unremittingly until election day. The colonel returned home today from the Progressive convention in Chicago and announced his plan for a week's rest, saying he had told his secretary he wished to see no one at Sagamore Hill.

Col. Roosevelt said he had found awaiting him a great number of letters and telegrams congratulating him upon his nomination for President and the way in which the Progressive party had begun its career. Most of them, he added, ended with an invitation to speak at the place, wherever it was in which the writer lived. He had enough invitations to keep him busy making speeches for several years and said that he would have to refuse almost everybody to adhere to his determination to make only one speech in a State.

The colonel's first engagement of the campaign is to speak in Rhode Island on August 16th. From that time on, he said, he would be traveling constantly until election day. He expects to go first into the Northwest, when he begins his long trips and visit the South later, when the weather is cooler.

FLINN'S PLAN IN PENNSY.

Republican State Nominees to be Put on Roosevelt Ticket.

Chicago, Aug. 8.—The method by which William M. Flinn, of Pittsburg, and the other Roosevelt leaders in Pennsylvania expect to keep control of the Republican State organization and at the same time to work for the election of Col. Roosevelt, through the new Progressive party, was explained today by E. A. Vanvalkenburg, of Philadelphia.

Mr. Vanvalkenburg said that the Republican candidates for State offices would be placed also on the Washington party's ticket, together with as many of the Republican candidates for Congress as would pledge themselves to support the Progressive National ticket.

Mr. Flinn's organization will thus support both the Republican State ticket and the Washington party, and its candidates will obtain both the Taft and the Roosevelt votes. It was explained that under the law in Pennsylvania a voter is a member of the party for a majority of whose candidates he voted at the previous election. Mr. Flinn said that he was therefore legally a Republican.

For Sallow, Blotchy, Rough or Greasy Skins

(From Woman's Tribune.)

Some skins require constant grooming to keep them from becoming oily, muddy, blotchy or rough, or if such condition has developed, to overcome it. In such chronic cases it is particularly inadvisable to keep piling on cosmetics which clog the pores, collect dust and dirt—especially in warm weather — making the complexion worse than ever. It's a lot more sensible to use ordinary mercolized wax, which literally absorbs a bad complexion. Apply the wax, like cold cream, before retiring; next morning, in washing it off, you'll wash away fine, flour-like particles of the unsightly cuticle. Repeat for a week or more and you'll have an entirely new skin—soft, satiny, spotless and beautiful as a child's. One ounce of mercolized wax, procurable at any druggists, is all you'll need.

If the skin be wrinkled or flabby here's the best possible remedy: Mix one-half pint witch hazel and one ounce powdered Saxolite and use as a face bath. It works like a miracle, yet is entirely harmless.

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FOR SALE—Two second-hand pool tables in good condition. A. E. Terry, Box 398. au10-1t*

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SPECIAL NOTICE—This is to notify all persons that the Carolina Beach Pleasure Company has, by mutual consent, this day been dissolved, and all members who have keys to lockers, or other property belonging to said Company will please return same to the Secretary of said company. This Aug. 6th, 1912. H. A. Kure, Manager. au8-3t*

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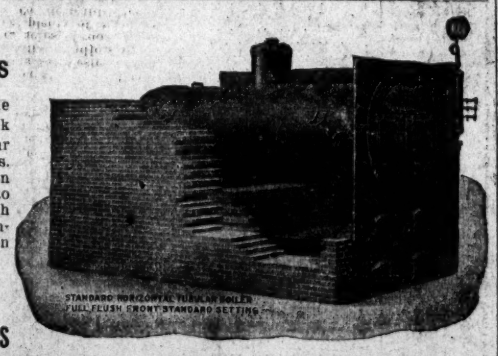

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